

WARRIOR

1979



1929



The year 1929 was a fearful and troubled time. The war was over, but the depression was just the beginning. Both challenged the American society and the first year students at the Junior Agriculture College of Central Arkansas in Beebe.

They came from cities and farms in their Model T's and Model A's and on foot, from affluence and need, with a desire to achieve something. For many of them, like many of us, their goal was undefined and their destiny unsure. However, this year's establishment of an Alumni Association indicates that during the past fifty years this institution has directed unknown numbers toward success.

Time has changed the name, the buildings, and the faces at Arkansas State University's Beebe Branch. It has been and will continue to be a school on the move, both physically and academically, with new buildings — new classrooms — new courses — new teachers — and new ideas. Changes are too slow for some and too fast for others. A few have had the pleasure of watching the past become the present.

Our effort in this book is not only to bring you this year's events but also reflections of "The Way We Were" during those years from 1929 to 1979 before more time blurs memory's focus.

We, like all others before us, depart ASU-Beebe with a rich experience and fond memories of the past and hopes for the future.

We've come a long way in fifty years and realize still that "ALL TOMORROWS WILL BE BETTER THAN TODAY" ... and we challenge future Indians to ANOTHER CHANCE ...

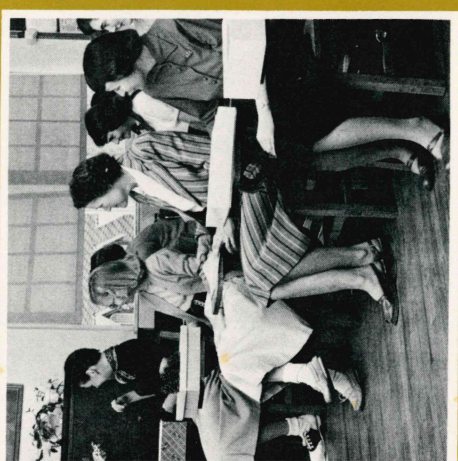




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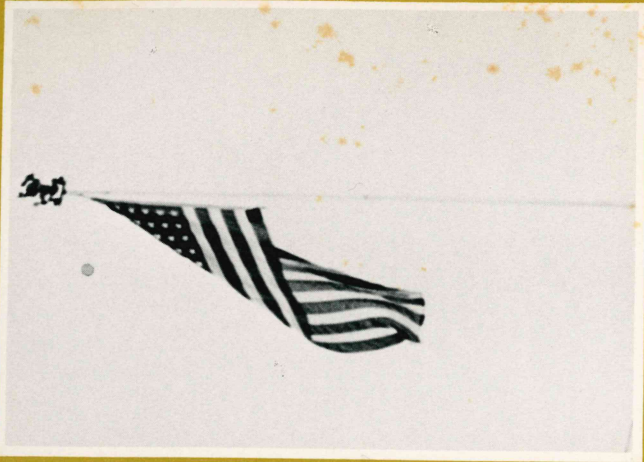
Even teachers need a break



I audience



Corn shucking contest in action



Indian Joe and Old Glory



Changing with the times

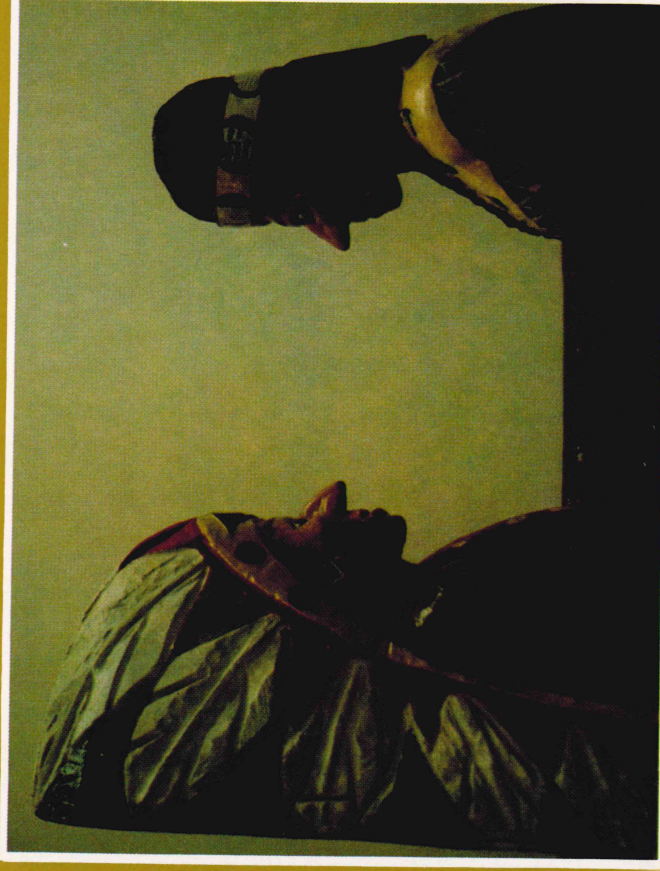
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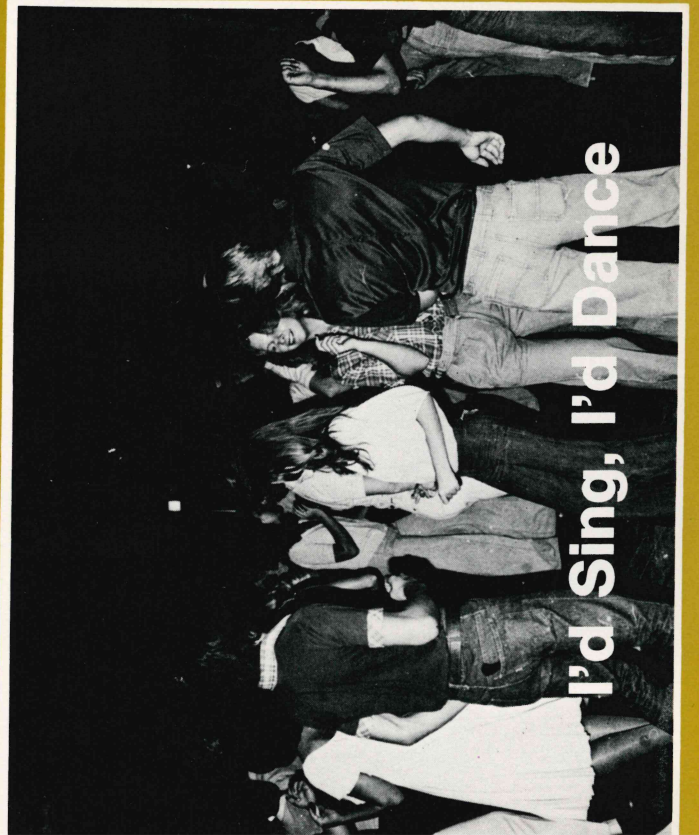
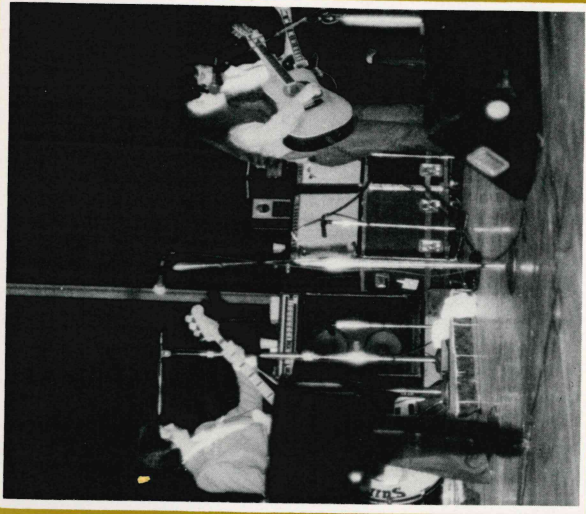
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If I Had Another Chance

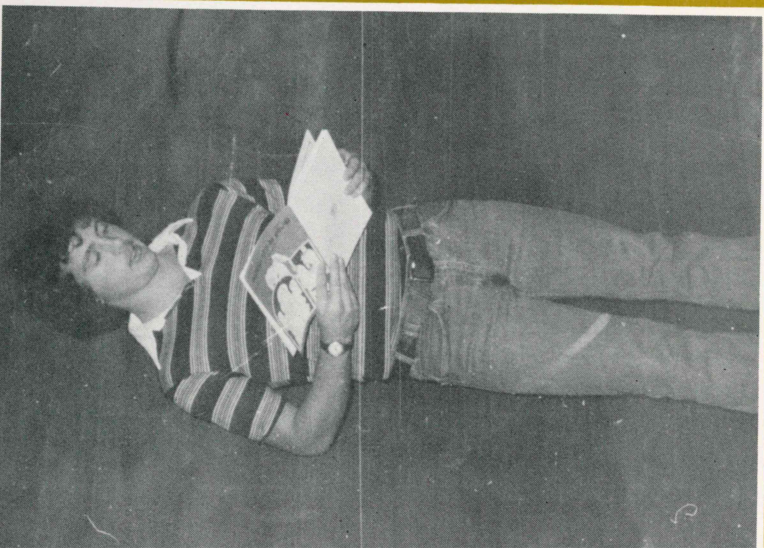


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I'd Laugh, I'd Love

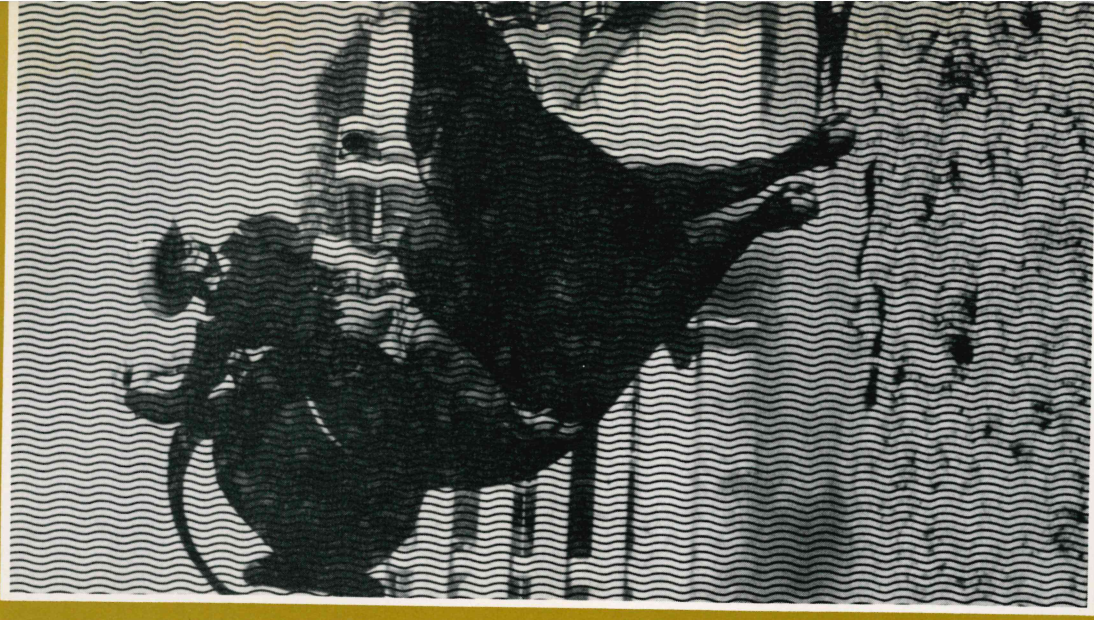
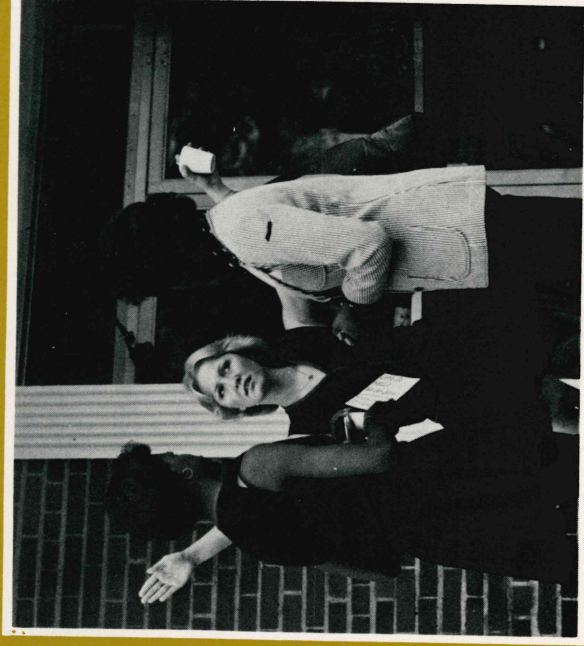


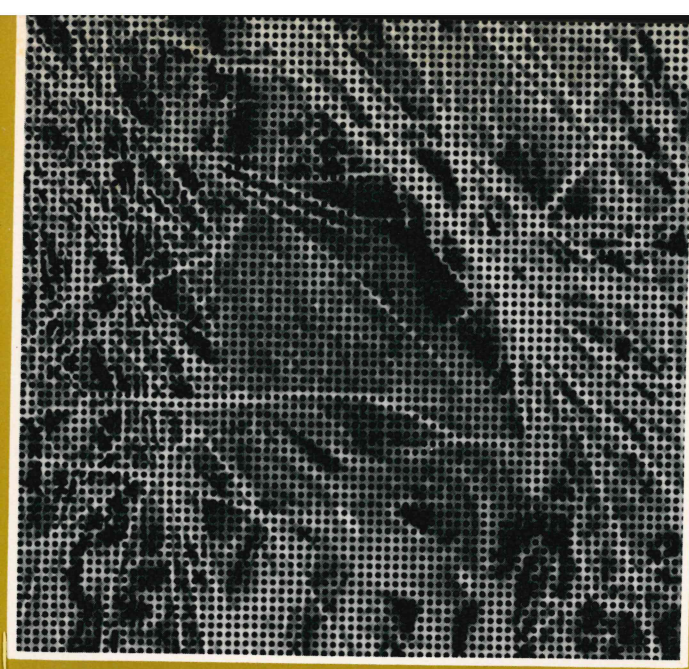


I'd Sing, I'd Dance



**I'd Take More Time Really To See
I'd Be Content - Just Being Me**

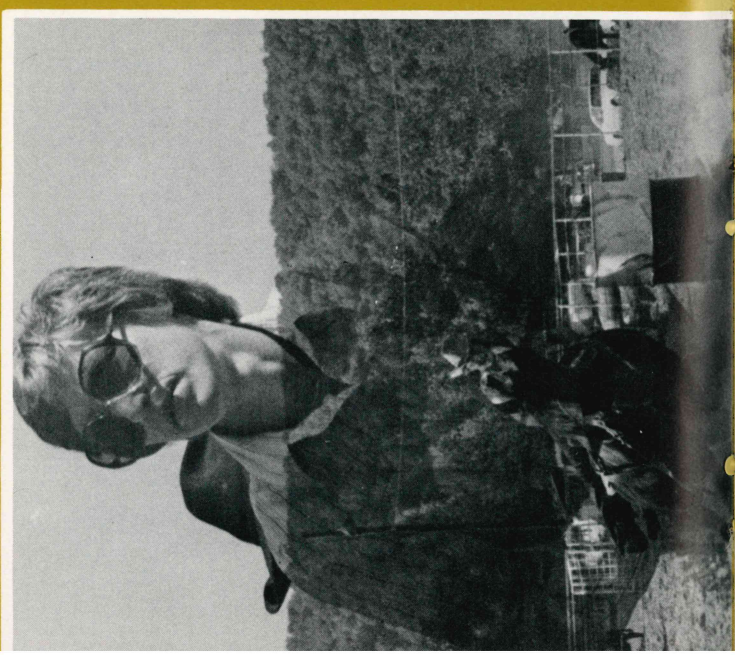
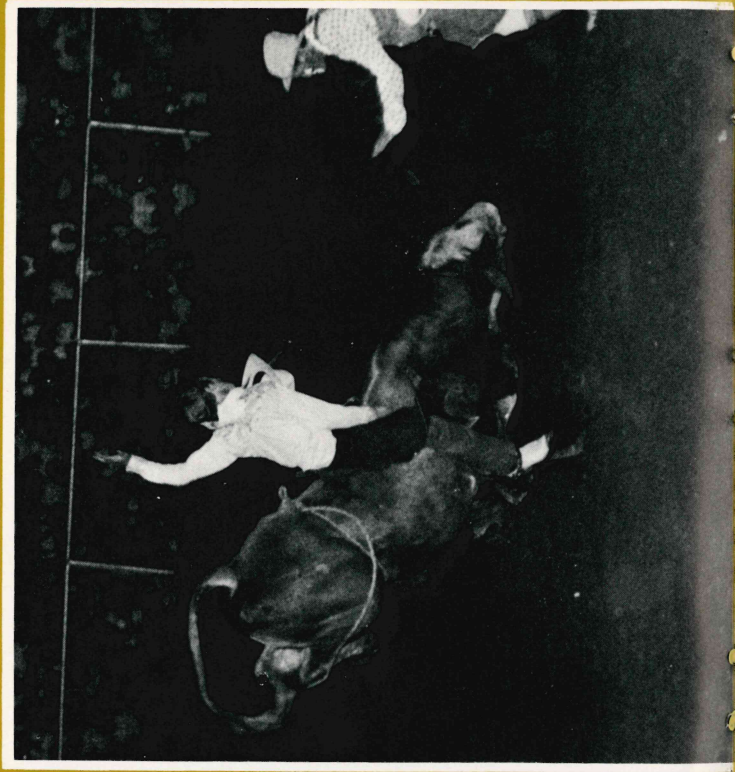




**Walk Barefoot In The
Fallen Leaves
and Enjoy The Shade Of The
Old Oak Trees**



**I Wouldn't Try
To Climb The
Highest
Mountain
Nor Set My
Goals And
Standards Way
Too High**

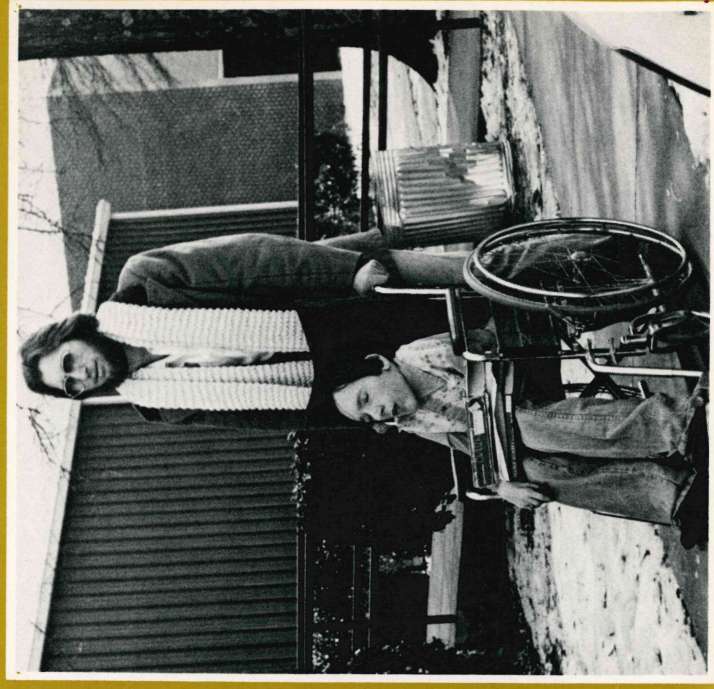
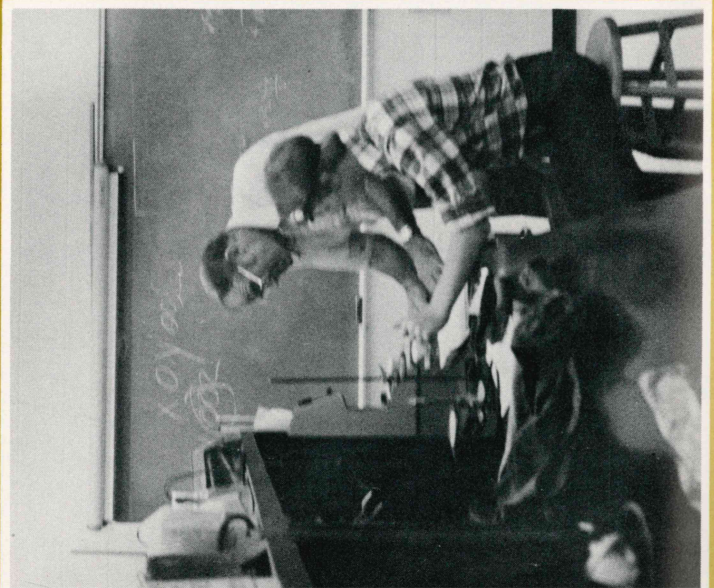
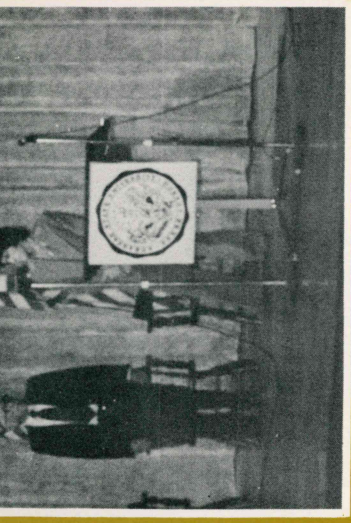
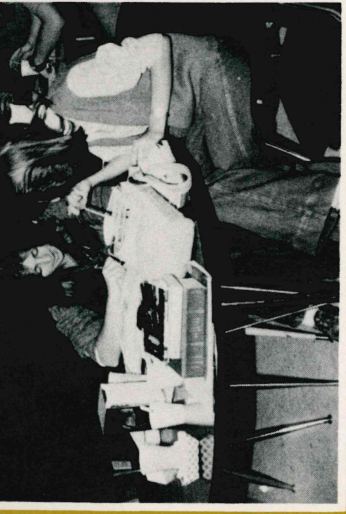




**Wouldn't Worry Quite So
Much About The Future
Cause Soon It's Just Another
Day Gone By**



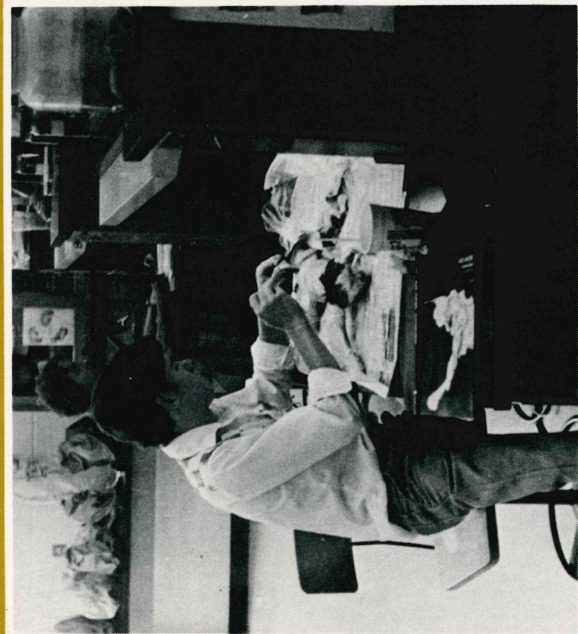
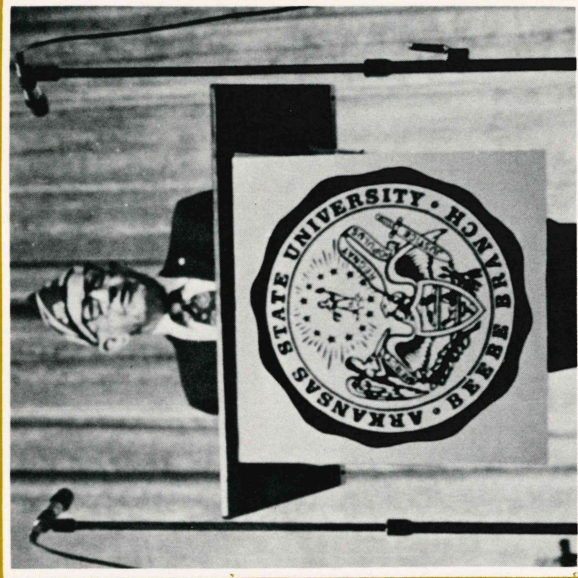
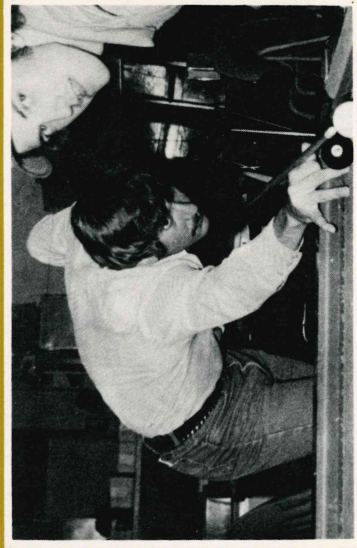
**But Rather, I'd Live My Life
From Day To Day
And Help My Brother Along The
Way**

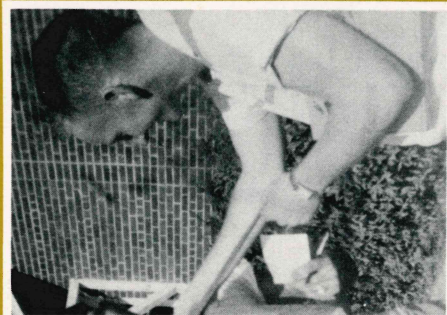
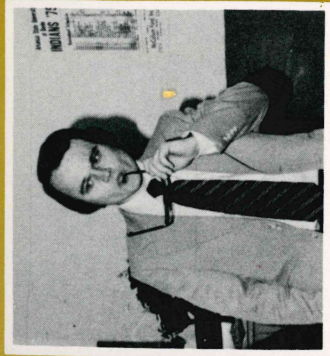




**And Spend More Time By A
Quiet Stream
Take Time To Love And Time To
Dream**

**If I Could Just Turn Back The Time
And Live My Life Anew
I'd Do All The Little Things
I've Been Afraid To Do**

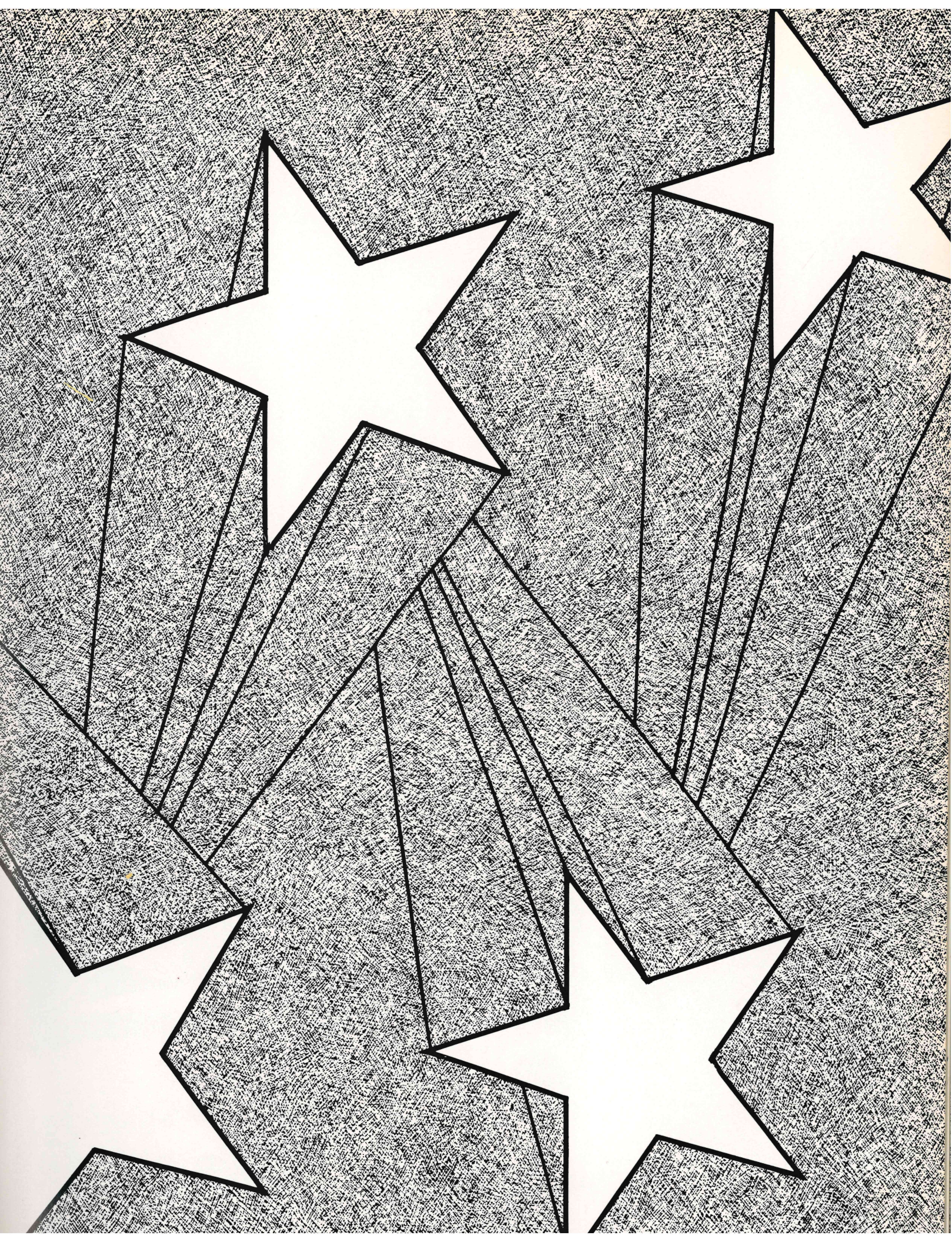




**Yes I Would Live And Laugh
And Sing And Dance ...
If I Only Had Another Chance**

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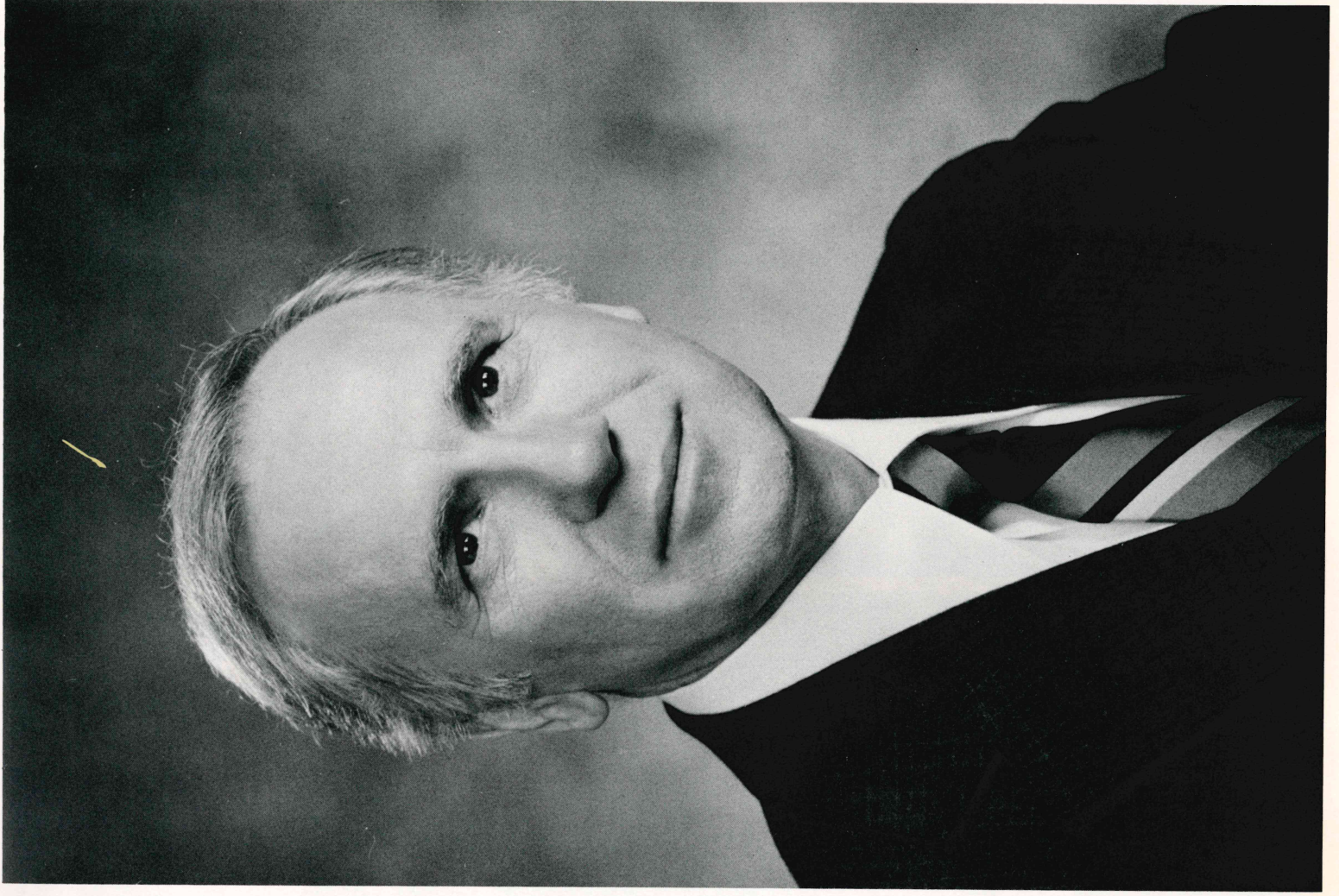
Governor Bill Clinton

Governor Bill Clinton, a Democrat elected in November, is now the youngest governor in office. His dynamic personality, many people say, promises him a brilliant political future. Governor Clinton plans many new projects while in office and one of his main objective's is to improve education in Arkansas.



President Carl S. Whillock

Dr. Carl Whillock was appointed President of Arkansas State University in July 1978. His background ranges from a high school teacher to a political assistant, as well as an administrator at the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville. President Whillock said he believes that the continued improvement in academic courses and the growing population of the Beebe area will make ASU-Beebe the finest two year campus in the state.



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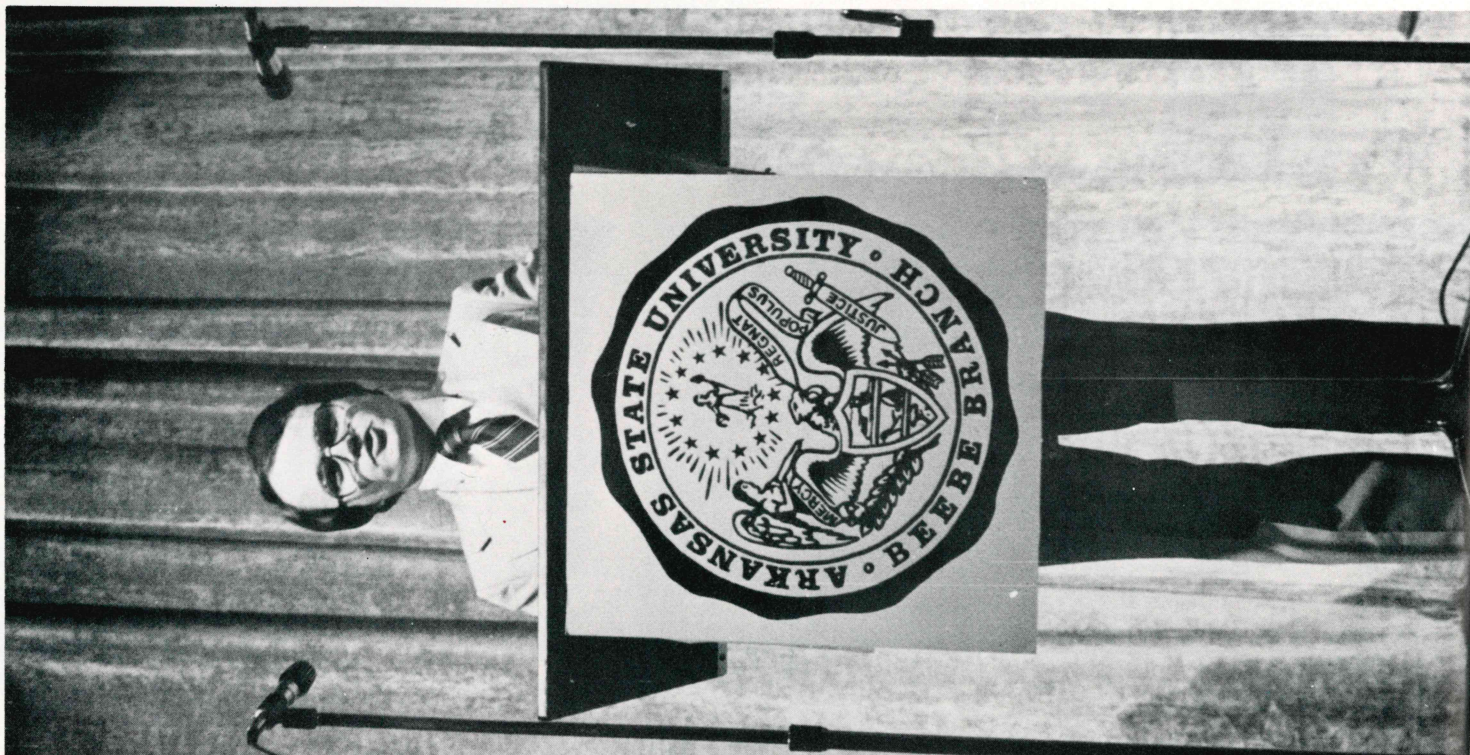
Stan Langley



Chancellor H. William Echols

H. William Echols was appointed Chancellor of ASU-Beebe in August, 1977, after having served four years as the Dean of Instruction. He is the first individual to fill the post on the ASU-Beebe campus since legislative action in 1977 upgraded the top position from a dean's position to chancellorship.

Chancellor Echols was selected to fill the position due to his knowledge of the ASU-Beebe service area and his established working relationship with the faculty, as well as his energy, competence, and potential.



**William H. Owen, Jr.
Dean Of Students,
Registrar**

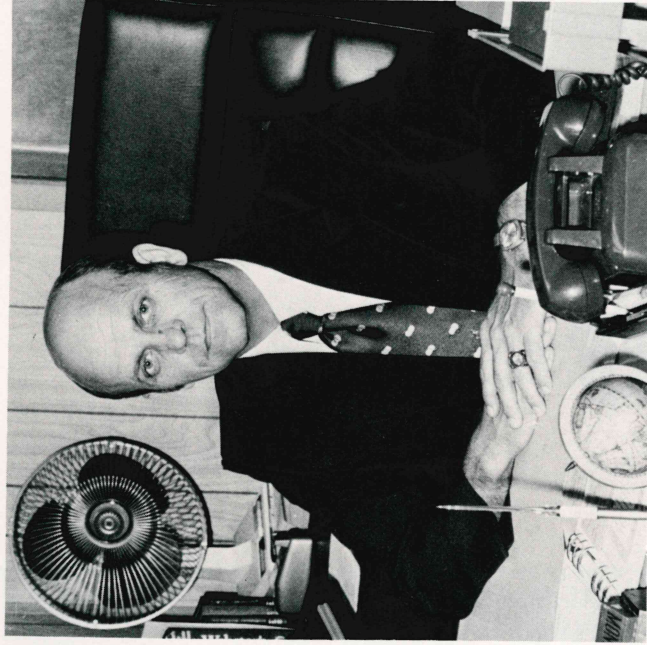


**Charles Sandage
Dean Of Instruction**

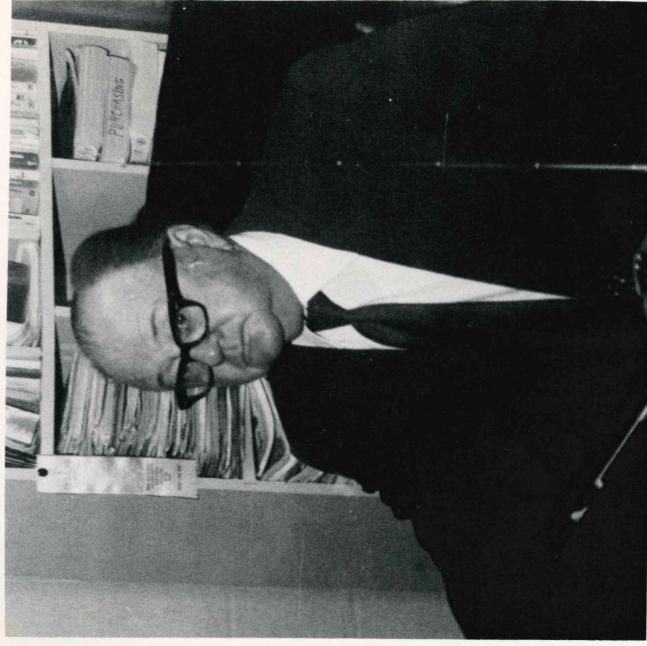




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Robert W. Lashlee
Director Of Public And Sports Information



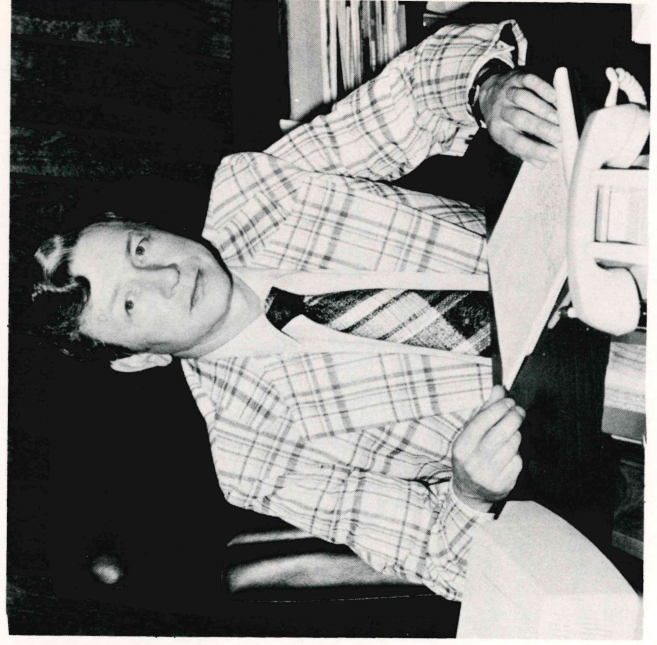
Hollin J. White
Purchasing Agent



Philip Petray
Director Of Media Center
Federal Programs

Administrative Staff

The administrative staff is under the supervision of Chancellor H. William Echols and meets regularly each week during the school term. It is designed to facilitate the solving of problems and schedule the weeks activities as well as coordinate long range activities and projects.



Frank Dickey
Director Of Physical Plant



Cynthia Johnson
Coordinator of Affirmative Action



Willard Crain
Veterans Affairs Officer



Doris Barnes
Librarian



Melissa Lacy
Assistant Librarian



Eva Lee Graves
Director of Headstart

The Associate of Arts Degree in General Agriculture may be earned in two years. During this time a student will also complete the first two years' work leading to the Bachelor of Science in agriculture. Employment opportunities in the field of agriculture are extremely broad.

And the Agriculture Department has grown to meet the available job opportunities. In 1964, the Agriculture Department employed one instructor, Denver Nettles, and offered eight courses. Since that time, the department has grown with the addition of two instructors, Wendell Phillips and Jimmy Jo Robinson, and the addition of 20 new courses. Although the agriculture class and labs were once held in State Hall, now it has been necessary for the department to move into a separate building. One indication of the growth in this department is the fact that in 1964 only eight high schools attended Agri Day but in 1978 the number of schools participated increased to 50.



WENDELL PHILLIPS has been an instructor in agriculture at ASU-Beebe since 1972. His education includes A.A., B.S.A., and graduate study at ASU, and M.Ed., and graduate study at the University of Arkansas.



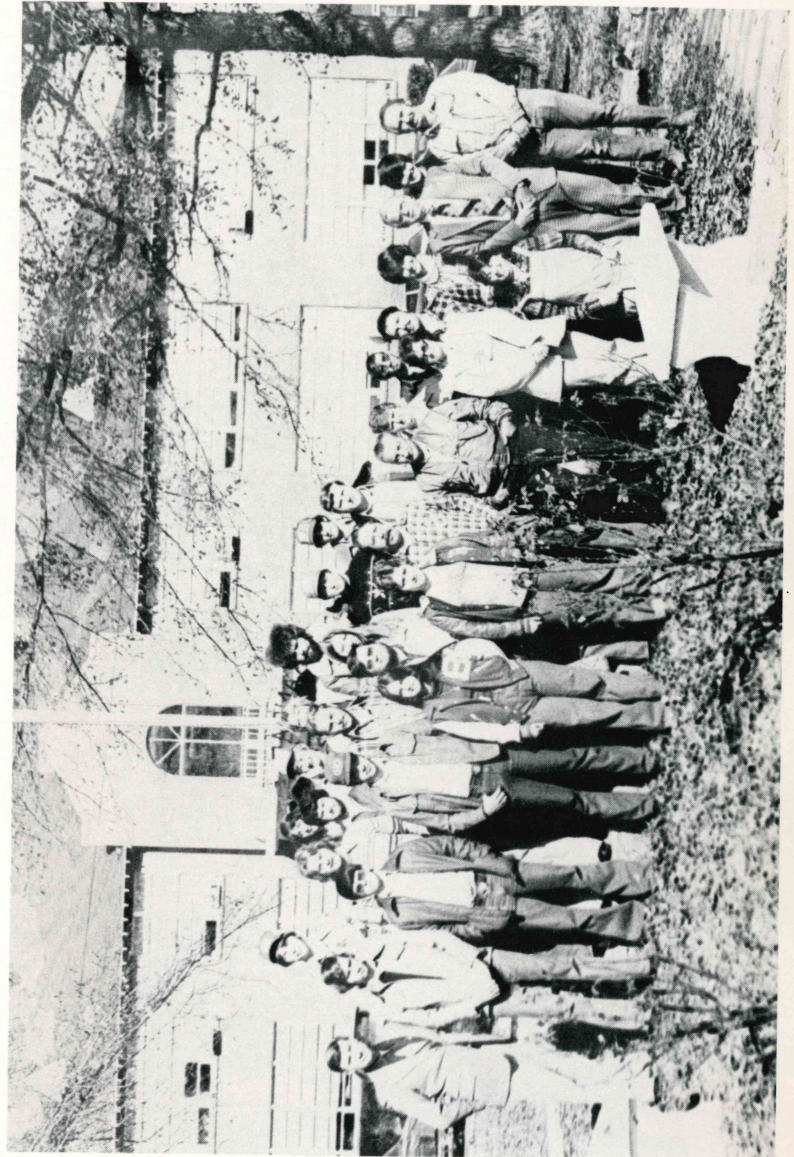
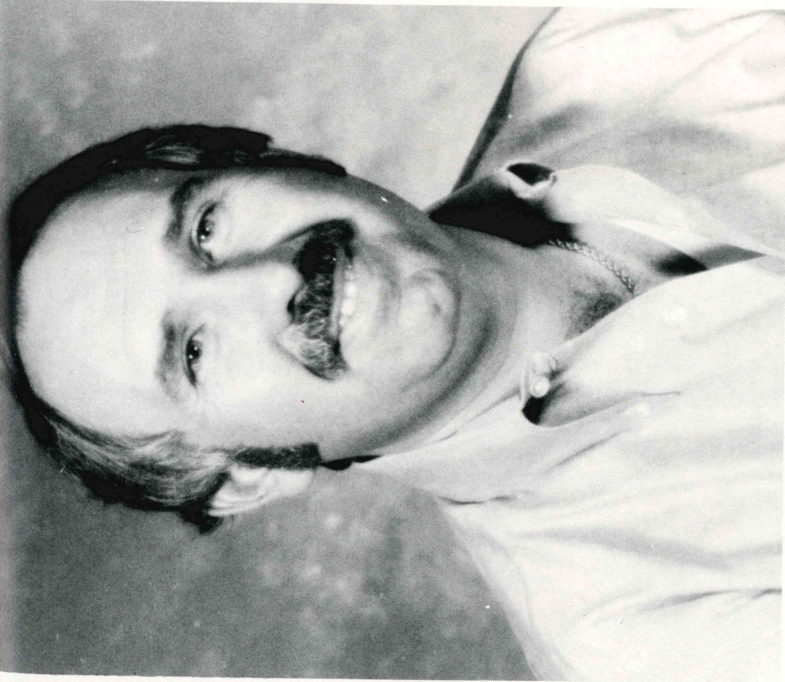
DENVER NETTLES is the Chairman of the Division of Applied Arts. He has been an instructor of agriculture here since 1964. His education includes a B.S.A. and a M.S. from the University of Arkansas.

A g r i c u l t u r e



JAMES BEARD
Farm Manager

JIMMY JOE ROBINSON (left) has been an instructor in the Agriculture Department here since 1976. His education includes B.S.E. from ASU, M.S. from the University of Missouri, and graduate study at the University of Arkansas.



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l, Barbara Reynolds, Dale Goodwin, third row: DeDe
room, Bill Aldridge, Nicki Hall, Barry Falwell, Merritt Roberts

The Division of English and Fine Arts, which developed in 1930 with the inception of ASU-Beebe as a college, has grown with the school. Mrs. Margaret Moore, who taught English, journalism, and music, was the first instructor in this division. In 1961 Mrs. Wilma Beard, present chairperson of the division, joined the staff to teach both English and education courses. Now the English Department employs four full time and six part time instructors.

Today the courses offered in English are designed not only to promote the effective use of oral and written English but also to encourage greater understanding and appreciation of the classics, the humanities, and the fine arts.



RUTH COUCH has been and will undoubtedly continue to be an effective instructor of English. She began her career here in 1971. Her education includes a B.S.E., from Southern State College, a M.S.E. from Henderson State University, and Ph.D. from Oklahoma State University. Dr. Couch is also the faculty advisor of Gamma Beta Phi.

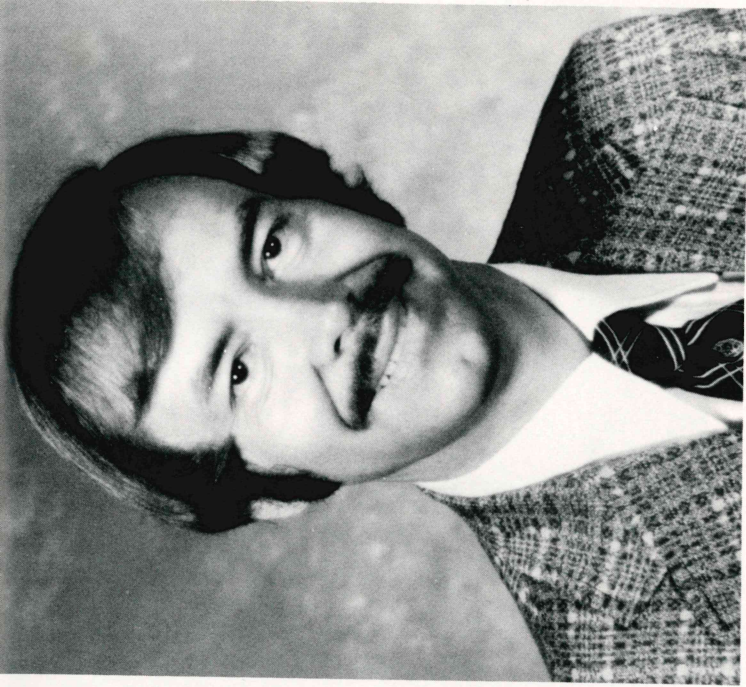


WILMA BEARD serves actively as the chairperson of the Division of English and Fine Arts. She brought her instructing ability to ASU-Beebe in 1961. Here she specializes in teaching English. She received a B.S.E. and M.S.E. at the University of Central Arkansas and has graduate study at the University of Central Arkansas, University of Mississippi, ASU, and East Texas State University. Mrs. Beard was selected as the Woman of the Year by the Beebe Business and Professional Women's Club this year.

FINE ARTS CENTER



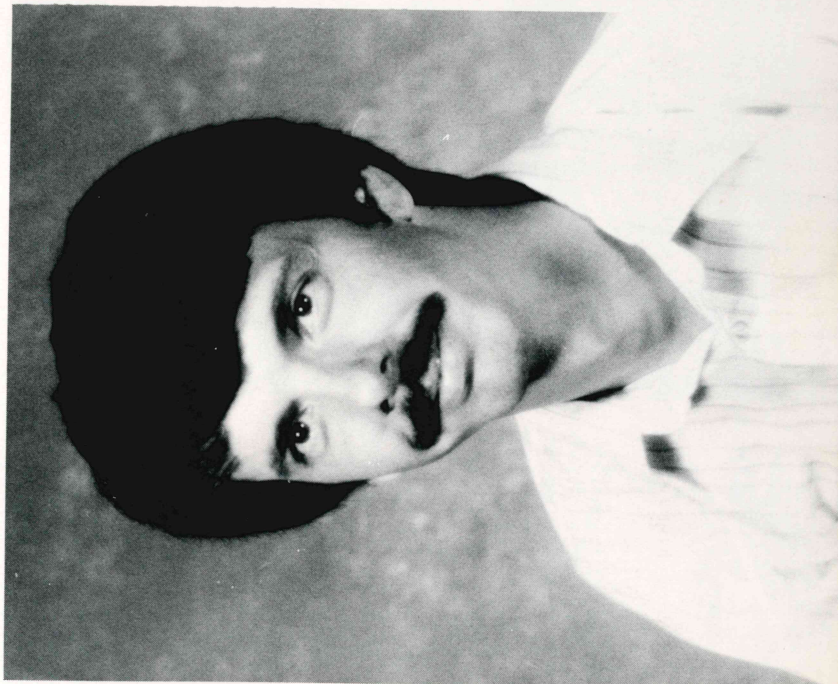
Left to right, Jessie Williams, Micky Conard, (president), Becky Bales, Peggy Durkee, Carole Bearden (treasurer), Bill Long, (sponsor), Pat Cornett, Ann Stevens, Joy Jackson, Mae Frazier, Benny Massey, Opal Radford, Geneva Fletcher.



EUGENE MCKAY, above, has been an instructor of English at ASU-Beebe since 1966. His education includes a B.A. from Arkansas College, a M.A. from University of Arkansas, and a Ph.D. from University of Mississippi.

far left, BILL LONG has been an instructor of Fine Arts-Visual and Art at ASU-Beebe since 1975. He is the faculty advisor of the Art Club. His education includes B.A. from University of Arkansas at Little Rock and M.A. from Louisiana Tech University.

left, ELOUISE SCOTT has been an instructor of Developmental Studies here since 1972. She received B.S.E. from University of Central Arkansas, M.S.E. from Northern Illinois University and graduate study at Northern Illinois University and ASU. Mrs. Scott is the former state president and chapter advisor of Gamma Beta Phi.



Vanguard Staff

The Vanguard Staff has the responsibility of informing students of the events of each month. One of the earliest publications has been traced back to the early 1950's. The Vanguard, ASU-Beebe's campus newspaper, is published for and by students monthly.

SUSAN CATHEY, instructor of journalism during the first semester of 1978. She received her B.S. from ASU, and a M.A. at East Texas State University in Texarkana. She is now doing free lance writing in San Angelo, Texas.

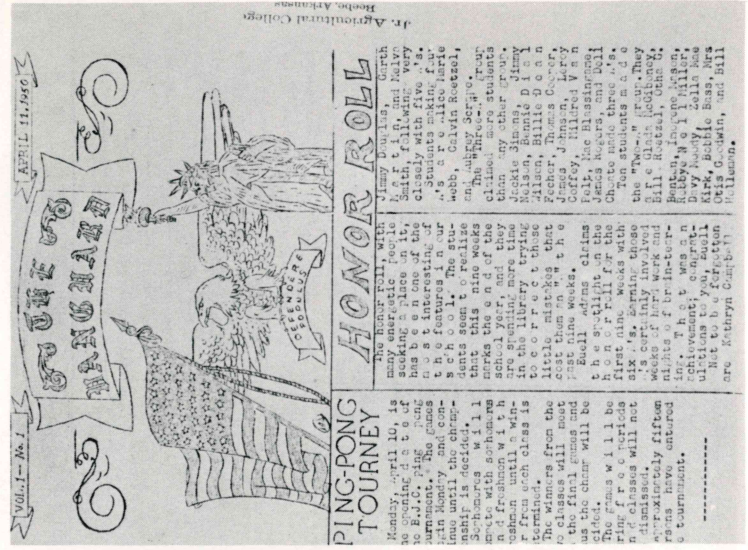


Top to bottom, Jim Metz, managing editor; and Krystal Speak, feature editor; and Cathy McNeil, news editor.

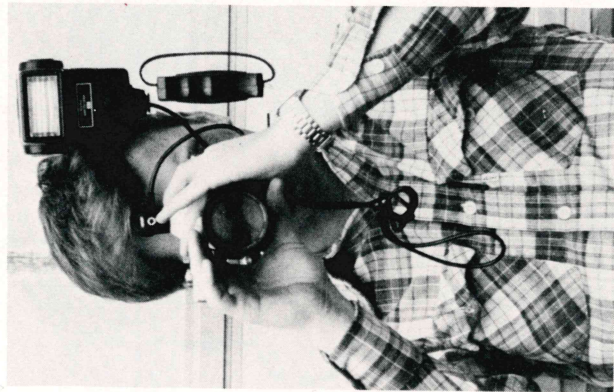
right: An early Vanguard published in 1950.



GENE RUPPERT, instructor of journalism during spring semester of 1979. She received her B.A. in journalism from Memphis State University, M.A. in English from the University of Arkansas, and she is currently working on her Ph.D. from Louisiana State University.

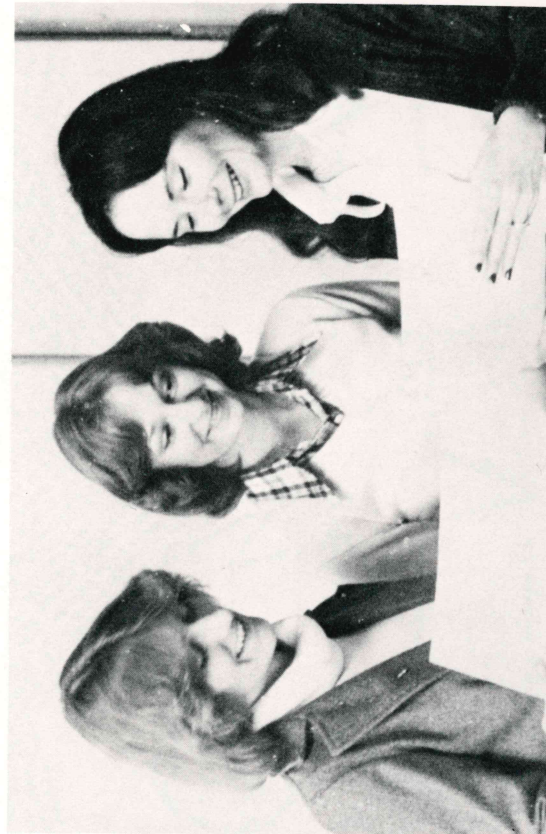
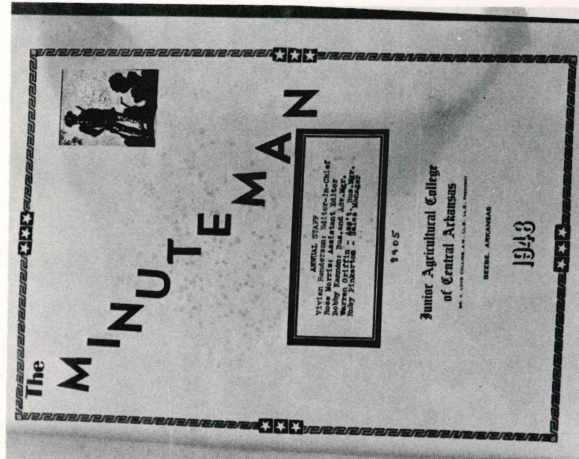


Rick Sublett
Photographer



(left to right, bottom to top) Marvie Teague, editor; Randy Burrus, Co - editor; Kim White, Buella Coble, Vaughn Skinner, Sarah McEuen, secretary, and Rick Sublett; volunteer workers not pictured were Jeff Meyer and Debbie Nicholas.

1948 ASU-Beebe yearbook, The Minuteman



(left to right) Sarah McEuen, secretary, Lisa Overstreet, and Mrs. Gene Ruppert, advisor.

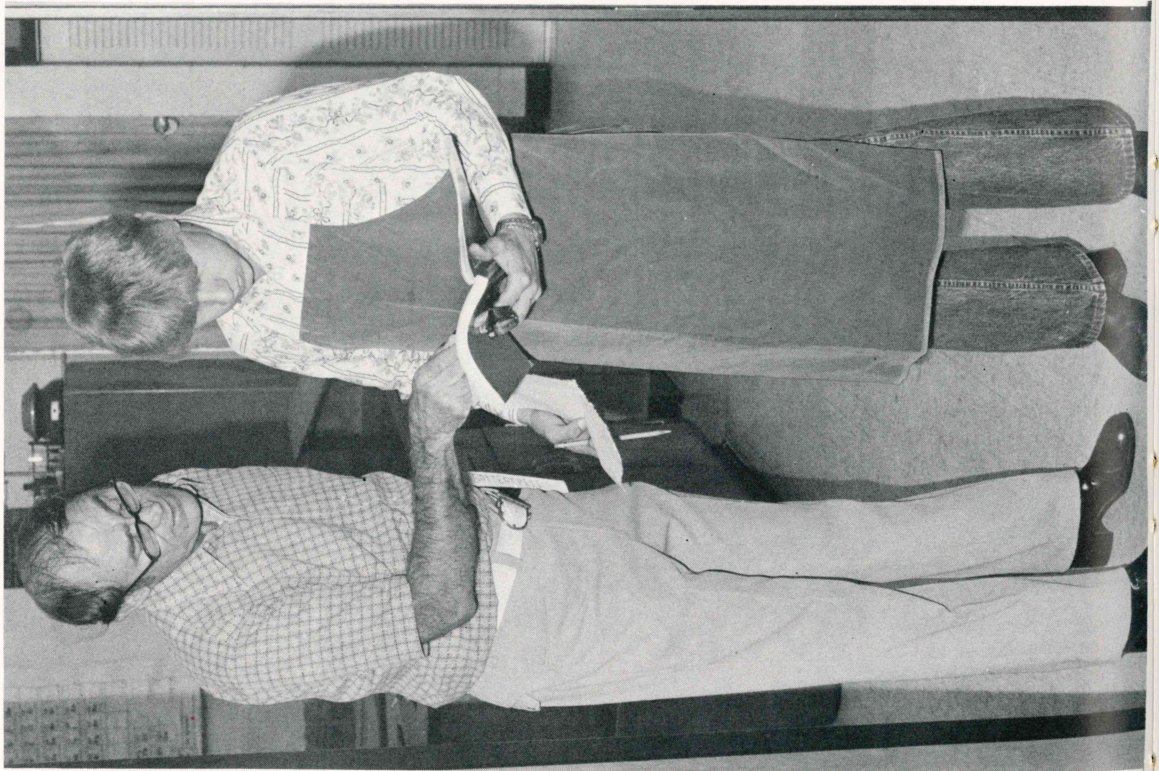
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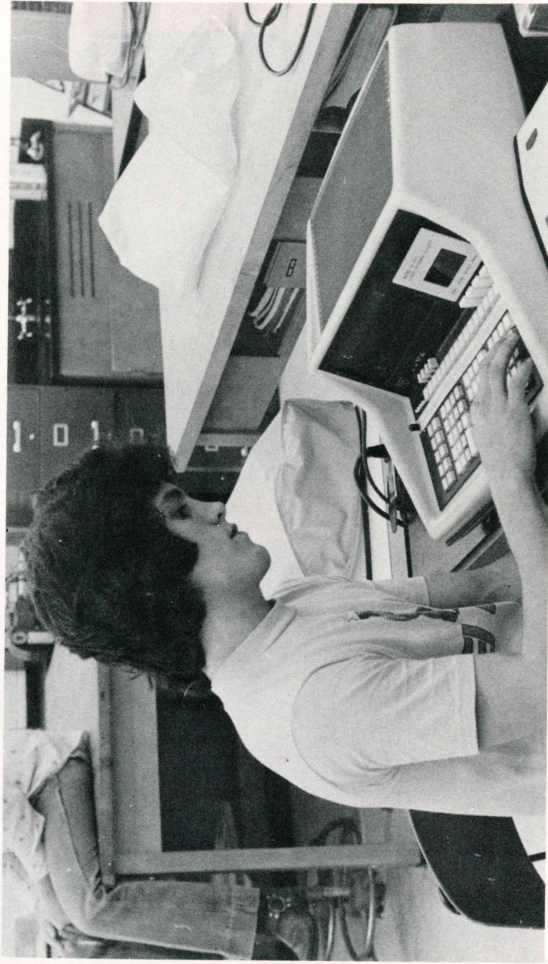
The Department of Science and Mathematics began in 1958 with only two instructors, Hugh Battershell and Walter Scott, and grew with addition of Jack Jackson, Richard Whitt, and Mary Ann May. Only nine courses were taught by this department in 1960, but over the years thirteen new courses have been added.

Today it is the purpose of the Department of Science and Mathematics to provide students with a background in the biological sciences, physical sciences, and mathematics.



HUGH G. BATTERSHELL serves as chairman of the Division of Sciences and Mathematics. He has been instructor of chemistry here since 1960. He received his B.S.E. from University of Central Arkansas, M.Ed. from University of Arkansas, graduate study at University of California at Berkeley, University of Missouri, and ASU.

And Mathematics



MARY ANN MAY has been an instructor of physical science, cooperative education at ASU-Beebe since 1976. She received her B.S.A. and M.S. at the University of Arkansas. Mrs. May actively serves as faculty advisor for the Rodeo club.



WALTER F. SCOTT has been an instructor in the Science Department here since 1957. His education includes a B.S.E. and M.S.E. from University of Central Arkansas.



The Division of Physical Education and Social Science started growing in the early 60's. The Physical Education Department consisted of Coach Harold Calahan, now at Westark Junior College in Fort Smith, and Coach Jeannie Lindsey, who also taught history. In 1970, Lindsey organized the Beebe Independents, who later became the Maids.

The History Department began with one full time instructor, Sybil Mitchell, and part time teachers, Jeannie Lindsey and Bill Owen. Over the years, it grew with the final addition of Mike Hammond and Philip Petray.



MARVIN SPEIGHT has been an instructor in the Department of Physical Education here since 1969. His education includes B.S.E., University of Central Arkansas; George Peabody College for Teachers; and graduate study, University of Maryland.



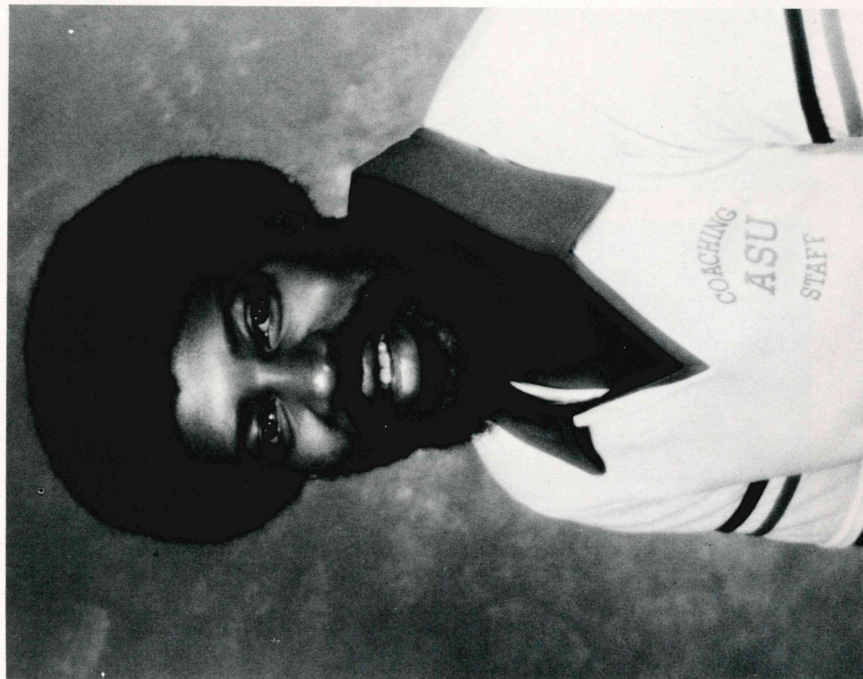
JEANNIE M. LINDSEY is the Chairman of the Division of Social Science and Education. Her education includes B.S.E. and M.S.E. from University of Central Arkansas. Mrs. Lindsey is the Maids' former basketball coach.



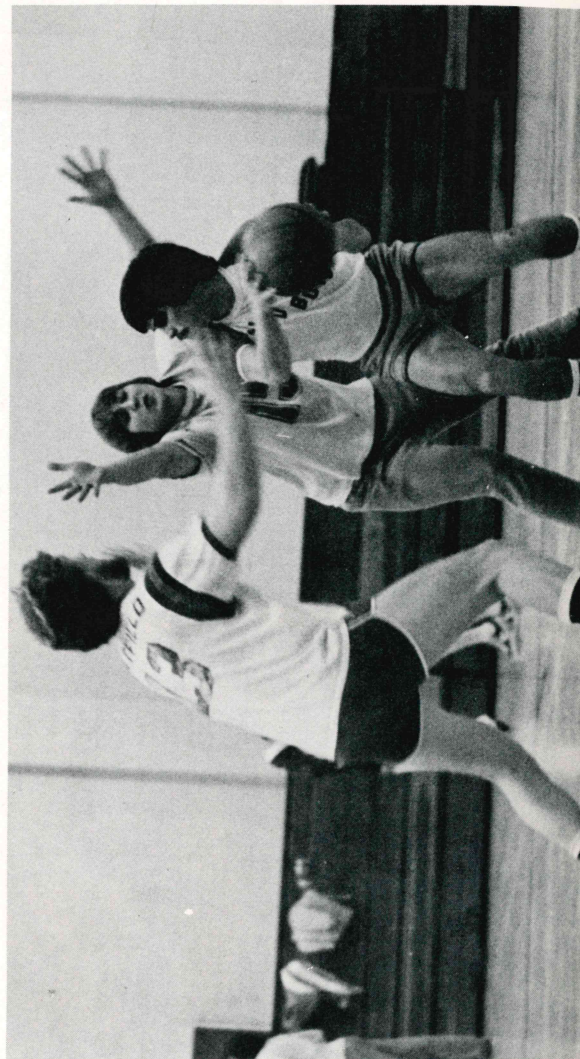
Front row: Gene Higginbotham. Second row left to right: Donna Womack, Debra Wilson, Diana Wilson, Tiny Fraley. Third row: James Bryant, Dennis Shireman, and Ulysses Carter.



COACH GENE ADAMS, above, has been here since 1978. He started his education at ASU-Beebe with a major in Business Administration. He received a B.B.A. from UCA and is now completing his minor in physical education while coaching the Maids basketball team.

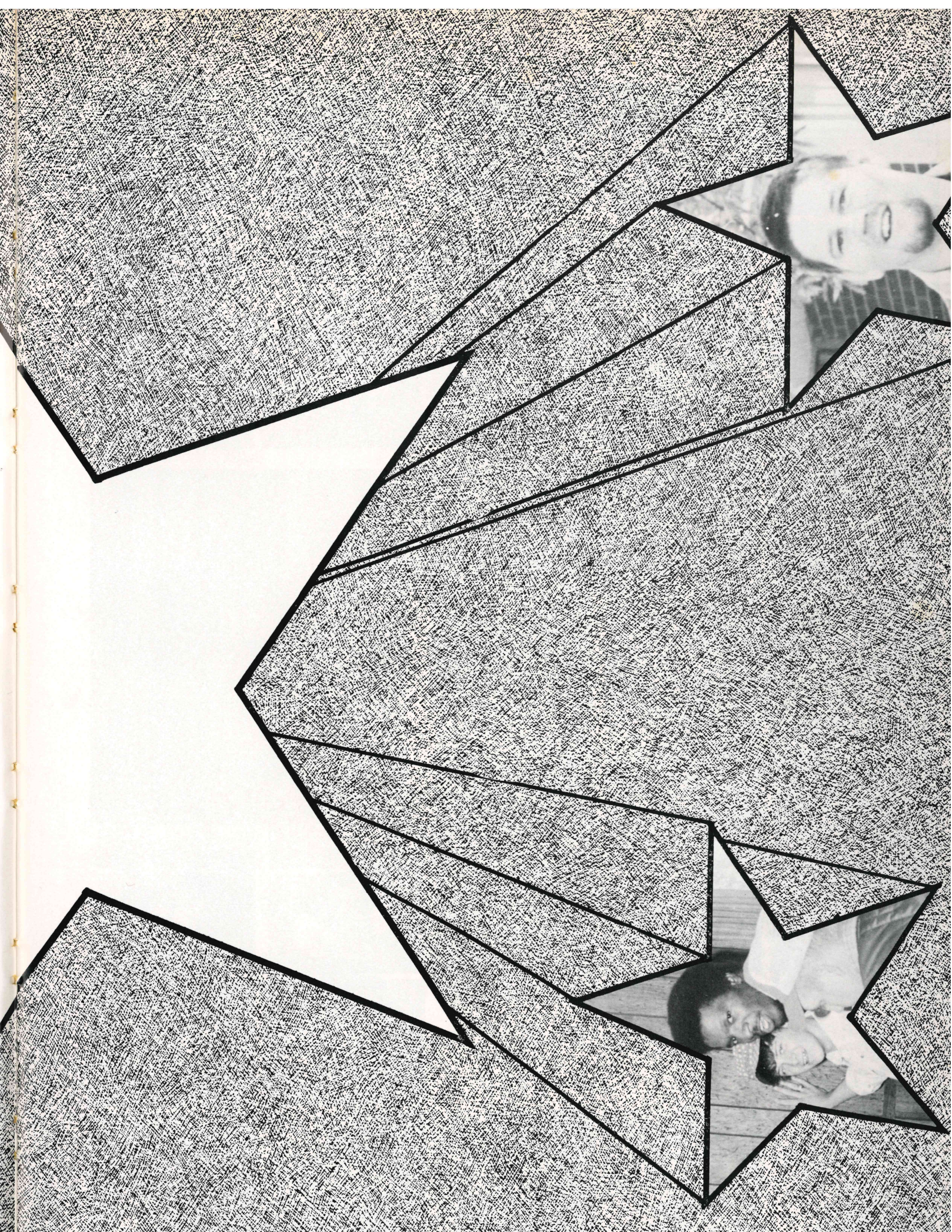


NAPOLEON CROSS has been involved in the Physical Education Department since 1974. He is the head basketball coach for ASU-Beebe. He received his B.S.E. from University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff.



INDIVIDUALS





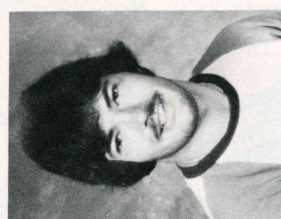
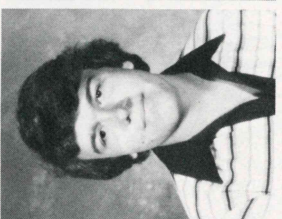
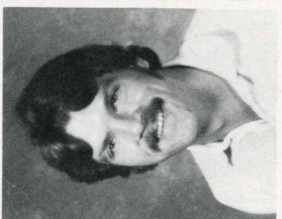
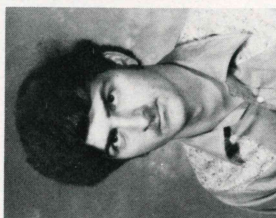
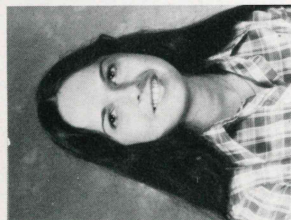
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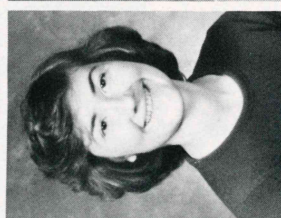
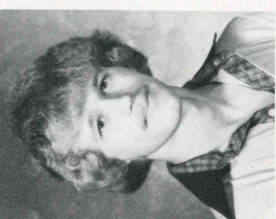
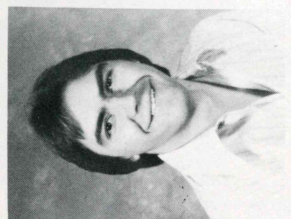
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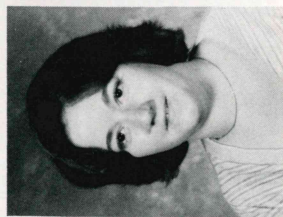
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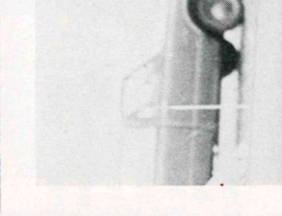
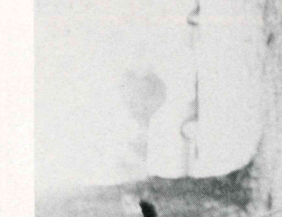
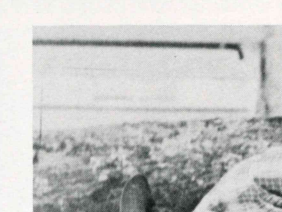
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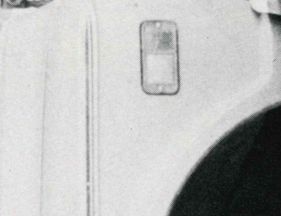
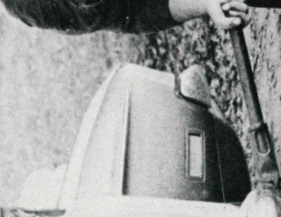
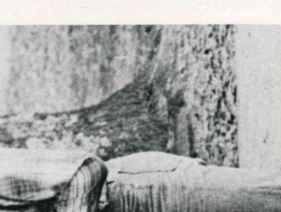
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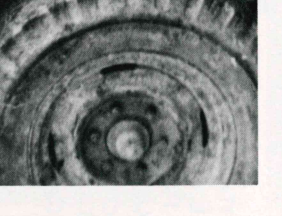
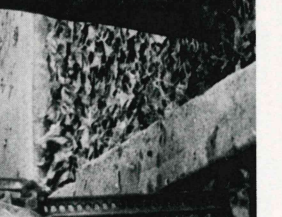
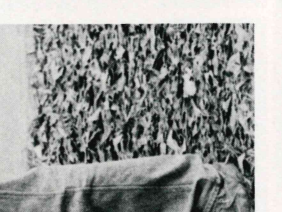
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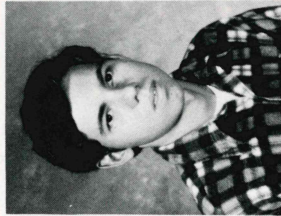
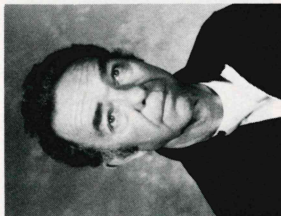
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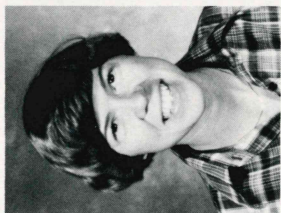
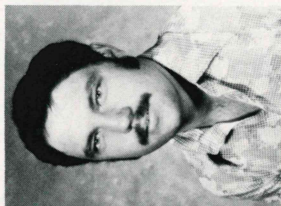
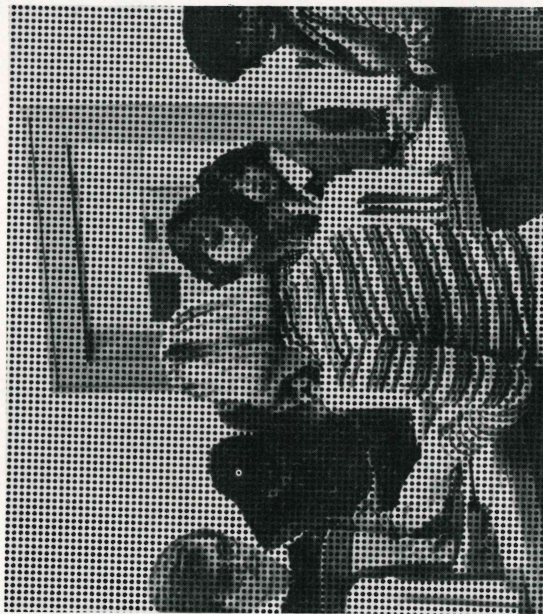
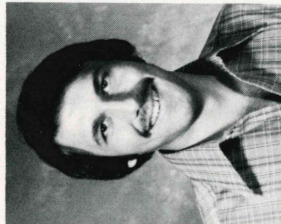
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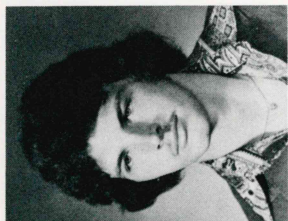
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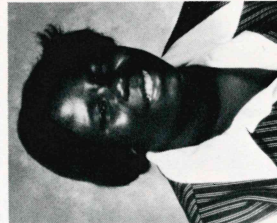
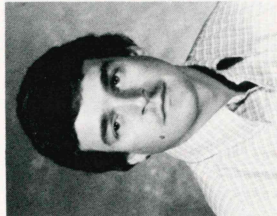
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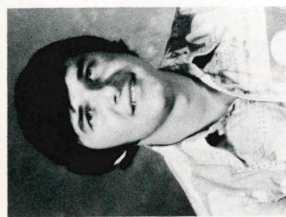
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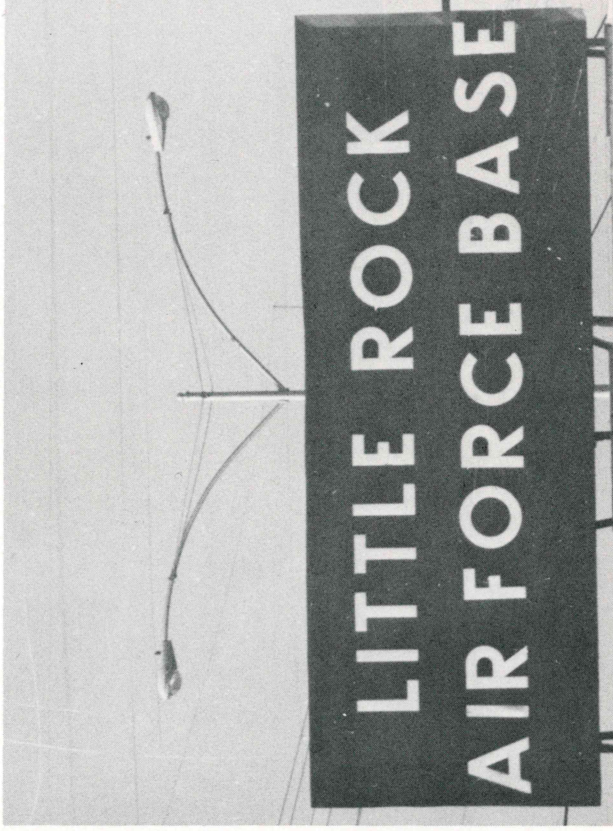
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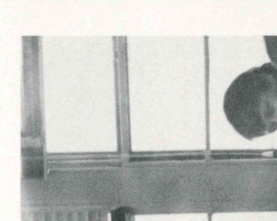


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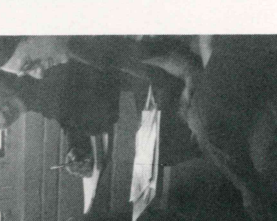
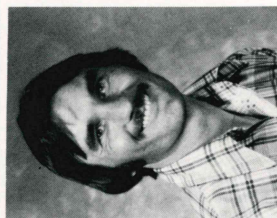


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Deborah Bridges
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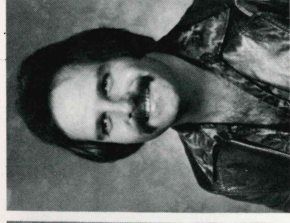
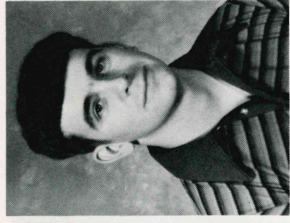
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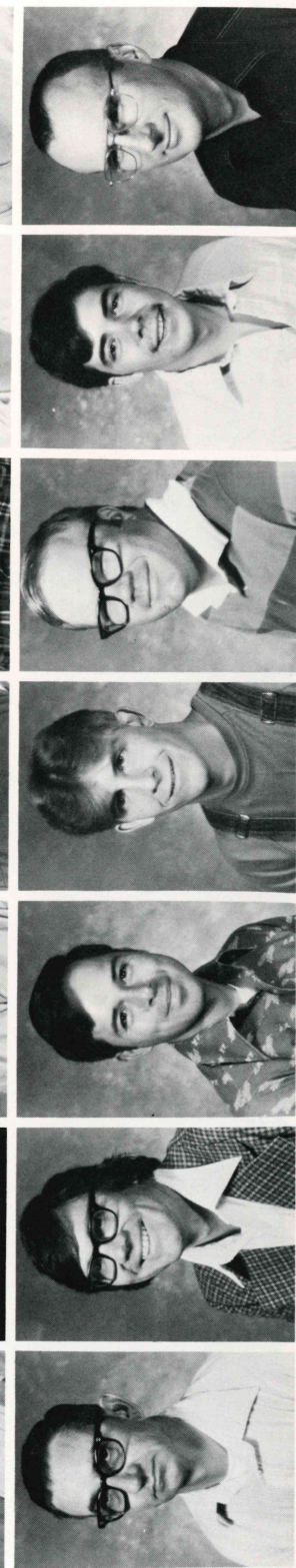
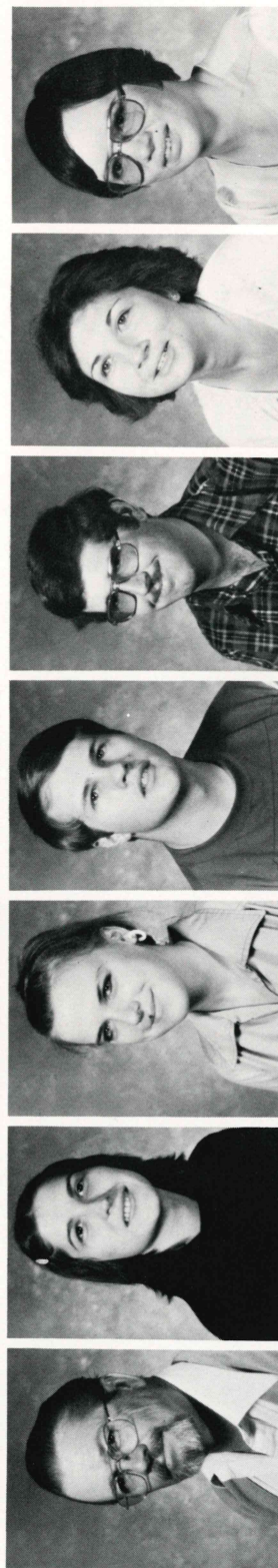
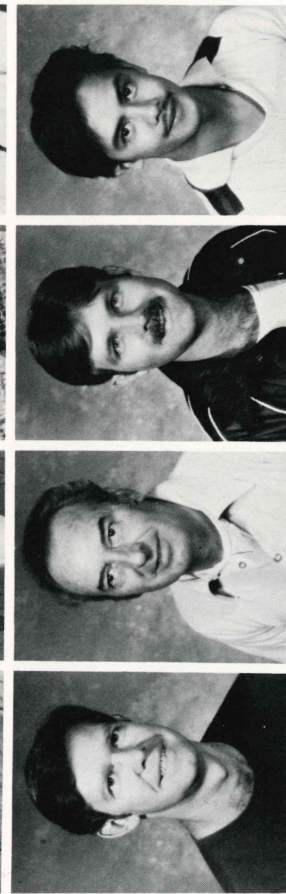
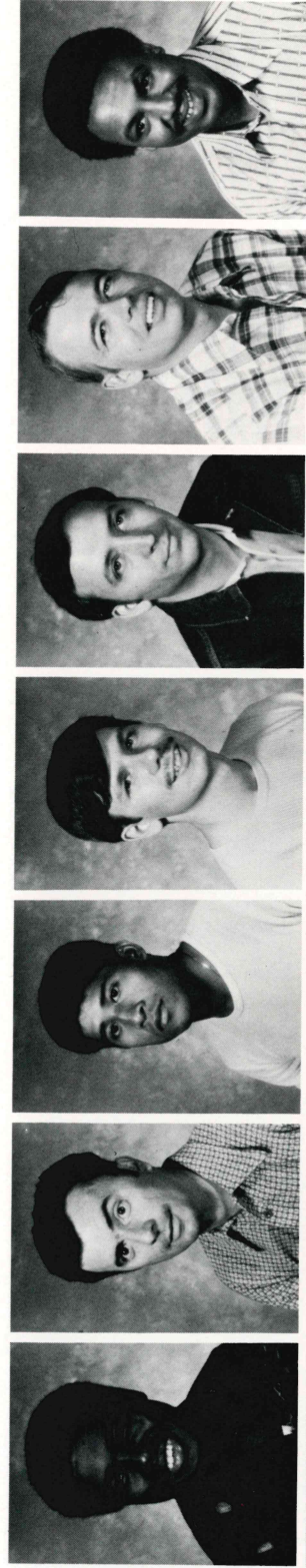
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SPORTS

Rodeo

Pool

Boy's
Intramural
Basketball

Indians

Maids

Baseball

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Badminton

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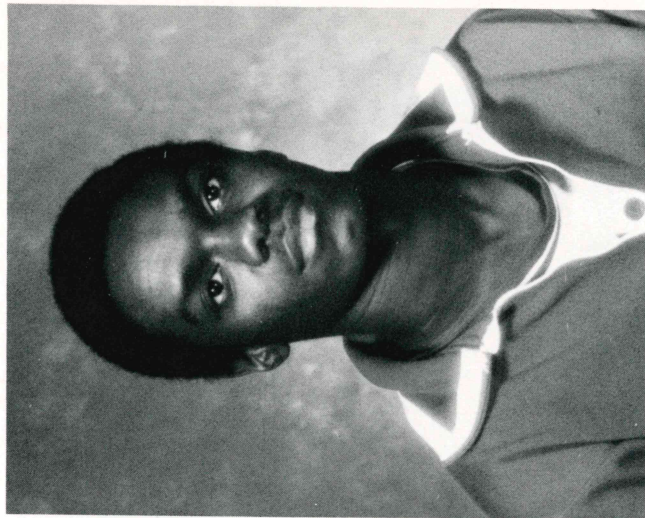
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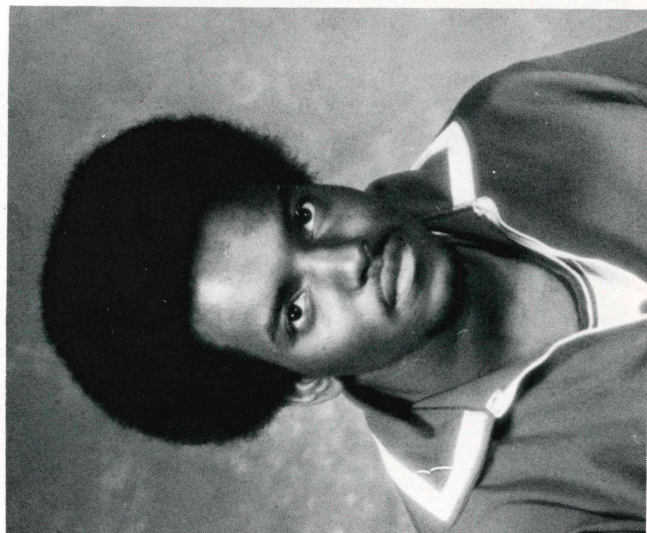
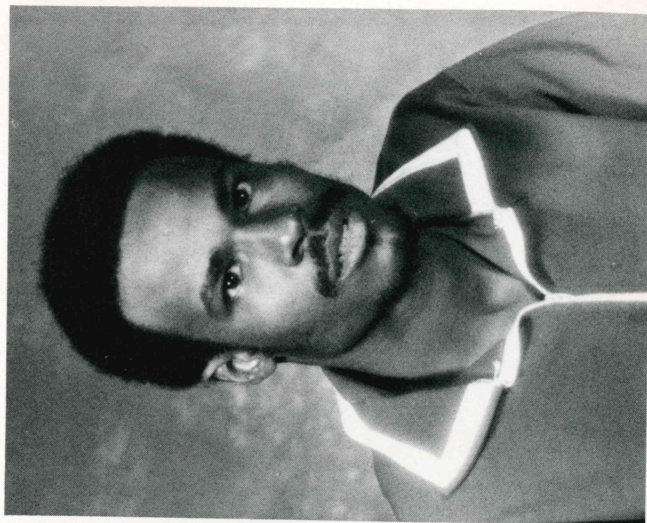


from left to right: Coach Napoleon Cross, Joe Berry, Yancy Stephens, Gerald Johnson, Ulysses Carter, James Bryant, Dwain Griffin, Clifford McCoy, Ray Walter. Kneeling: Bobby Bailey, Anthony Hood, Mark Towell, Terry Brazeal, Nixon Mixon, Ronnie Greenwood.

ASU Indians

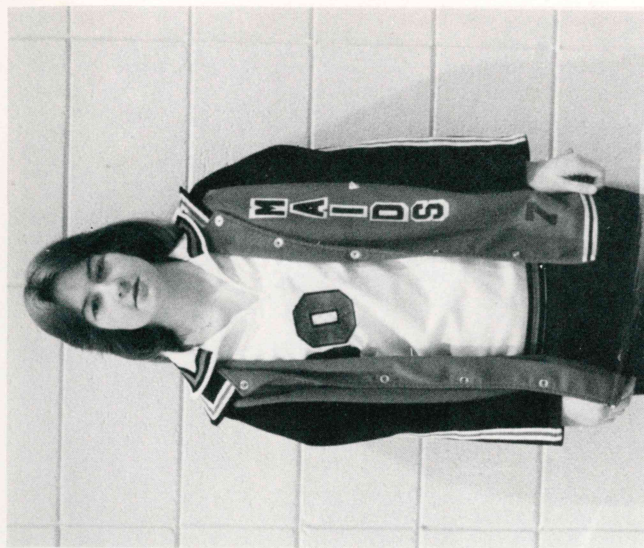


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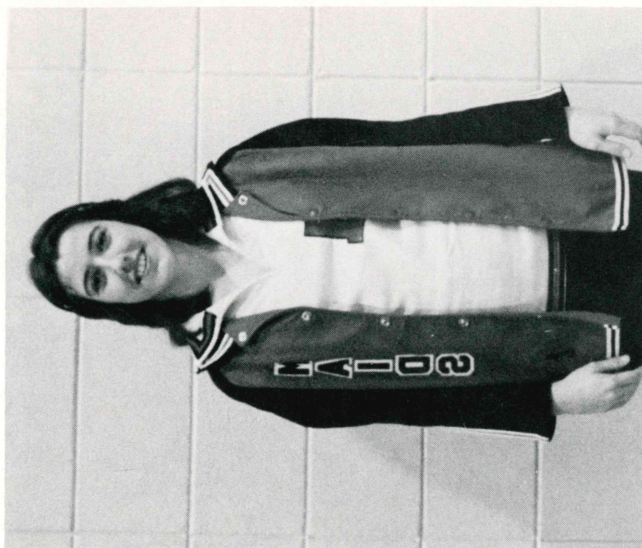


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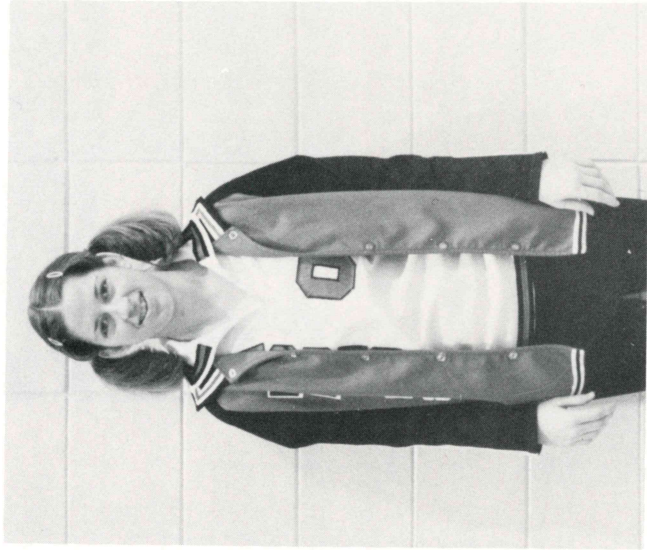


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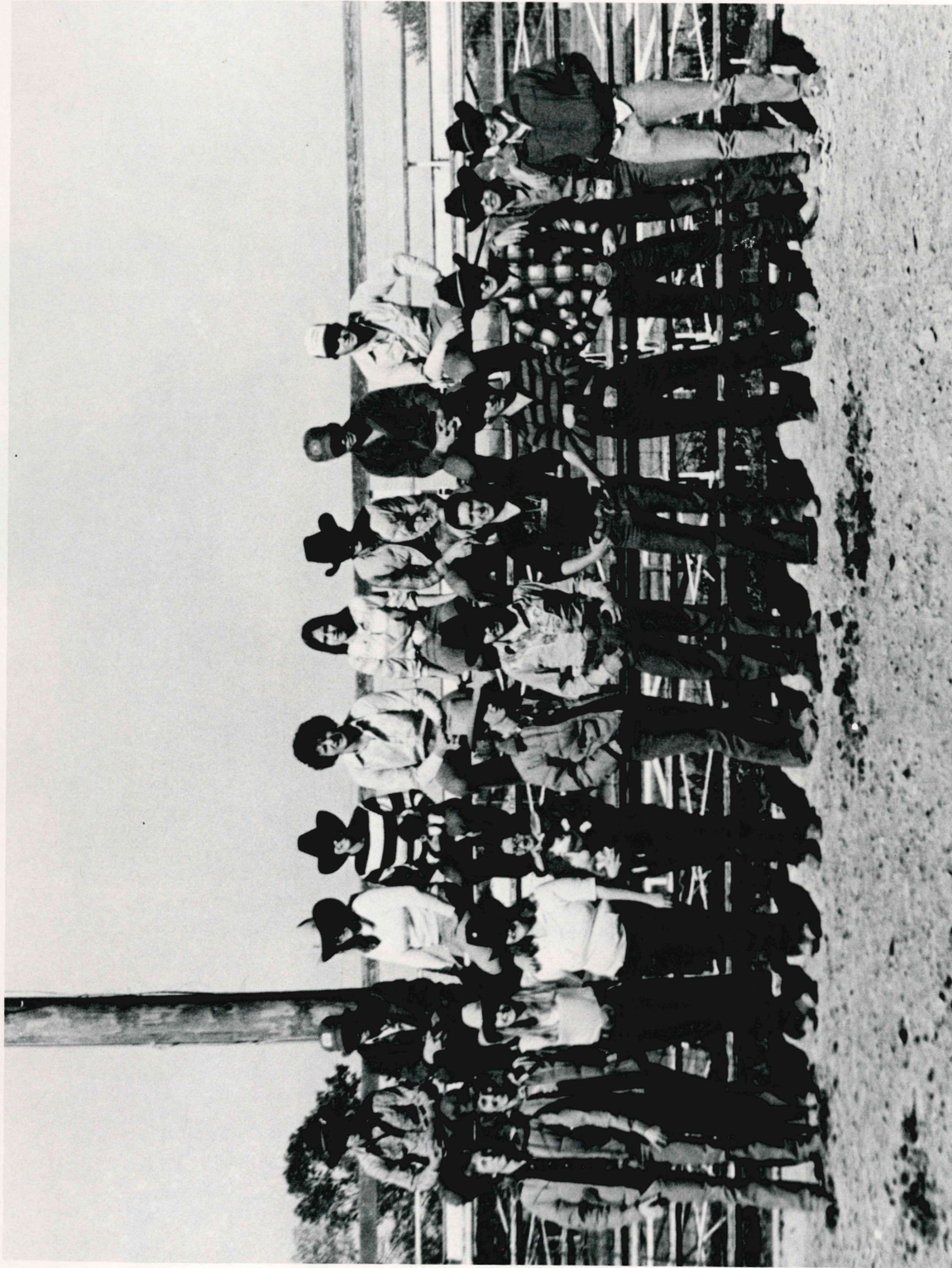


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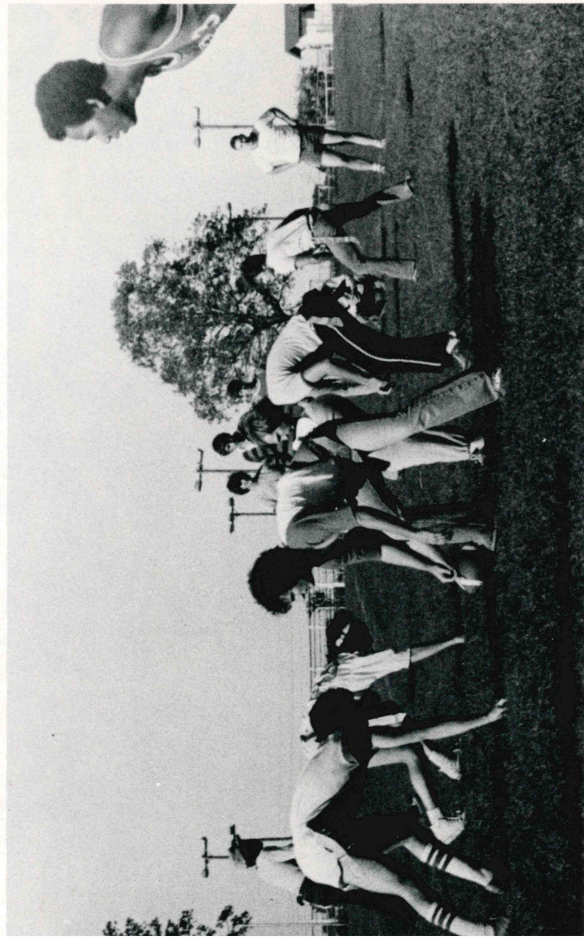




ASU Rodeo Team

Top row from left to right: Merritt Roberts, Randy Wade, Didi McBroom, Nikki Hall, Jerry Vaughn, Cindy Karder, Tommy Bryant, Johnny Tutor, Terry Parker; (Bottom Row) Rick Sublett, Mary Ann May (sponsor), Lisa Mounts, Dora Stockton, Kelta Keathley, Allen Jones, Ferol Morris, Charles Wade, Bob Keller, Mike Jones, Joe Emerson, and Donnie Vickers.

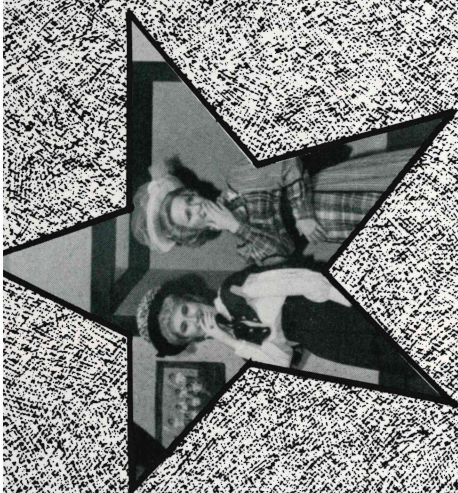
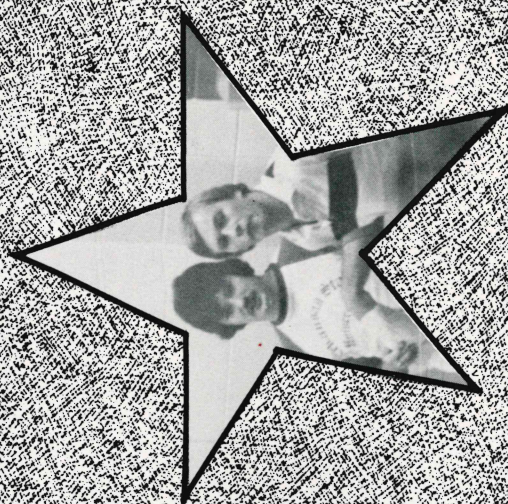
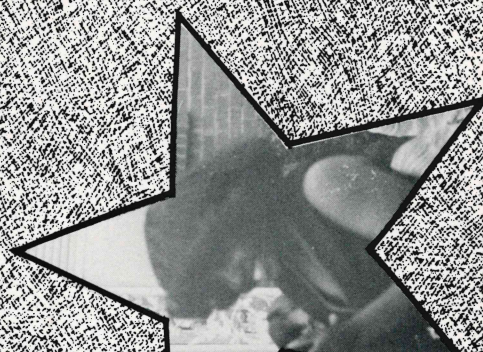
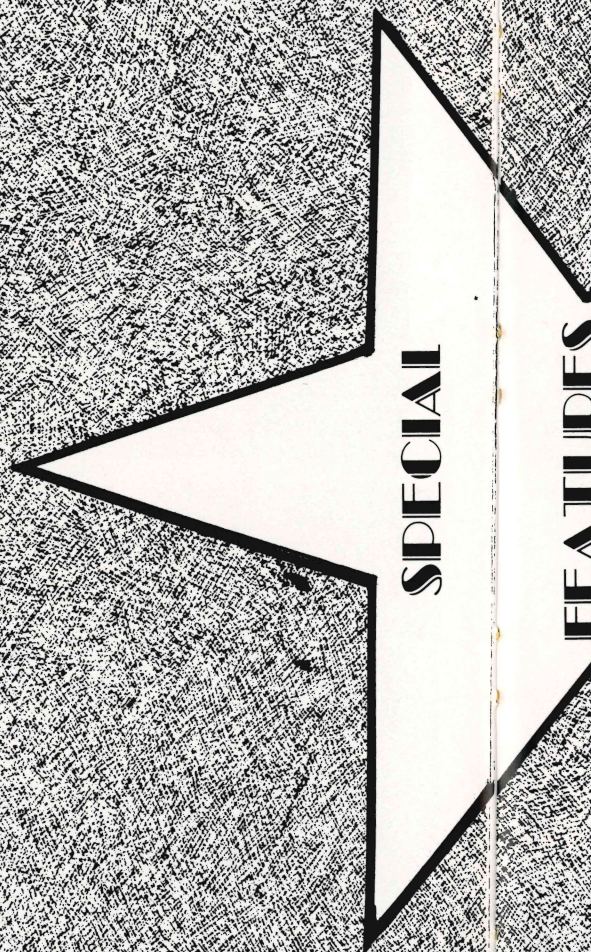
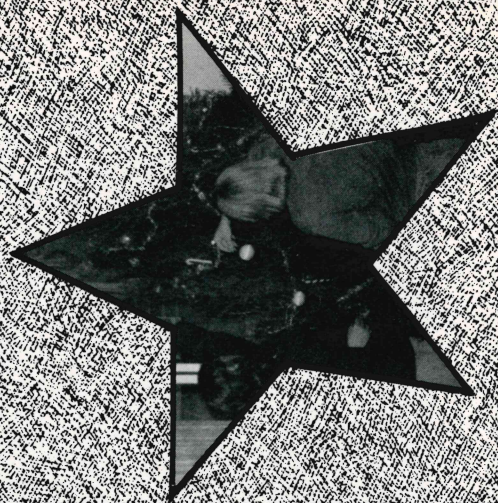


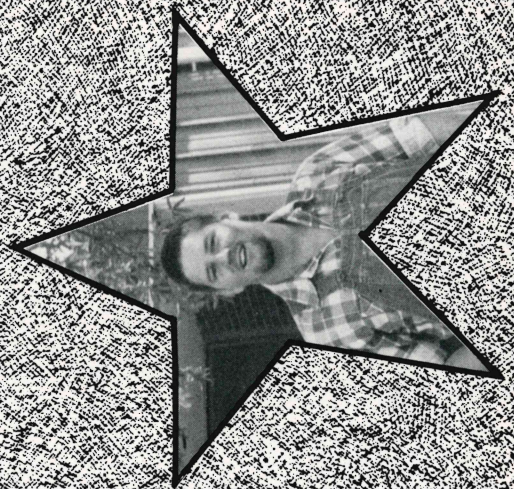
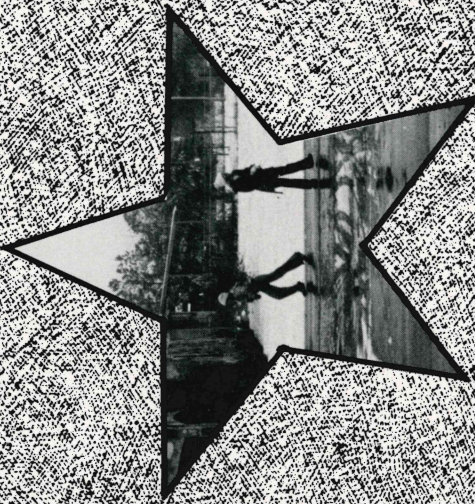
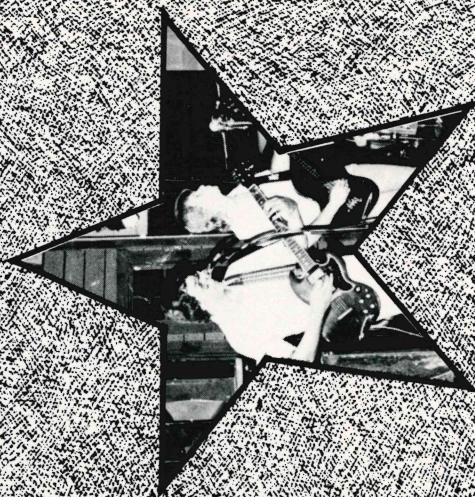
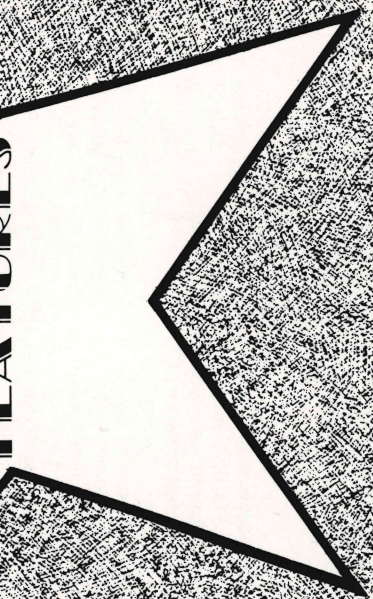




SPECIAL

FEATURES





STUDENTS IN AMERICAN JUNIOR COLLEGES

Campus nominating committees and editors of the annual directory have included the names of these students based on their academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and future potential. They join an elite group of students selected from more than 100 institutions of higher learning in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico.

Marvie Teague



Ricky McEuen

Marvie Teague, from Des Arc, is the editor of the 1979 Warrior, vice-president of GBP, student representative in SGA and one of four students selected to serve at President Whillock's reception. She was appointed to the Campus Development and Fiftieth Anniversary Planning Committees by Chancellor Echols. She was first runner up for Autumn Frolics Queen 1978 and won the second Margaret Moore Writing Contest in 1979. Marvie is an accounting major.



Alida Holt

Ricky McEuen, from Beebe, is president of the student body and SGA. He is a member of DPO and GBP. He was one of the four students selected to serve at President Whillock's reception. Ricky received the Citizenship Award in 1979 and is a business management major.

Alida Holt, from Cabot, is chapter president and state vice-president of GBP. She is also the vice-president of SGA. She was second runner up in the 1978 Miss ASU-Beebe Pageant. Alida is actively involved in each drama production. She received the best actress award from DPO. She was also one of the four students selected to serve at the reception for President Whillock.

Bret Farris, from Sidney, is an agricultural education major. He holds the office of parliamentarian in the Agri Club.



Bret Farris

Tammie Showalter, from Cabot, is a member of GBP and received an Outstanding Service award from GBP. She has been recognized for carrying a four point grade average. Tammie tutored Freshman English and is a psychology major. She plans to become a rehabilitation counselor. Tammie received the academic award in the Education and Social Science Division this year.

Tammie Showalter



Doug De St. Felix

Doug de St. Felix, from Beebe, is a math and physical science major. He holds the office of treasurer in GBP. He was a Campus Singer in 1978 and is actively involved in each drama production. Doug received an academic award in the Math and Science Division this year.



Gary Ragen

Gary Ragen, from Cabot, is an agricultural education major. He serves as president of Agri Club and is a member of GBP. Gary received an academic award in the Division of Applied Science.

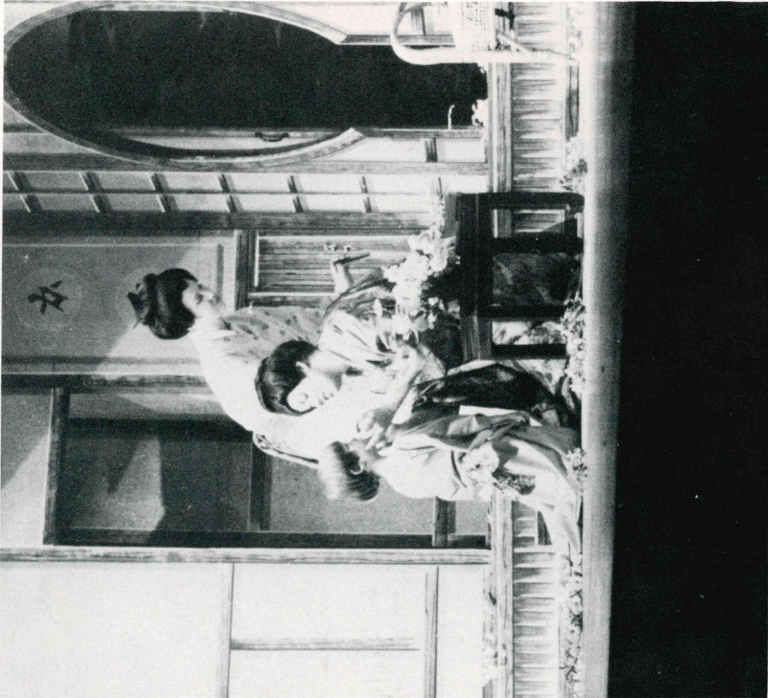
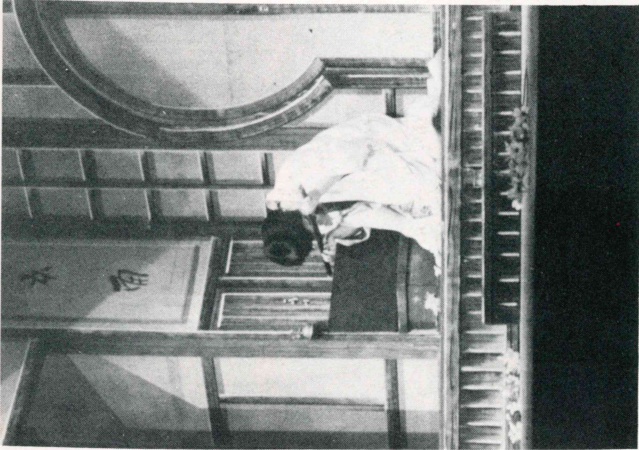
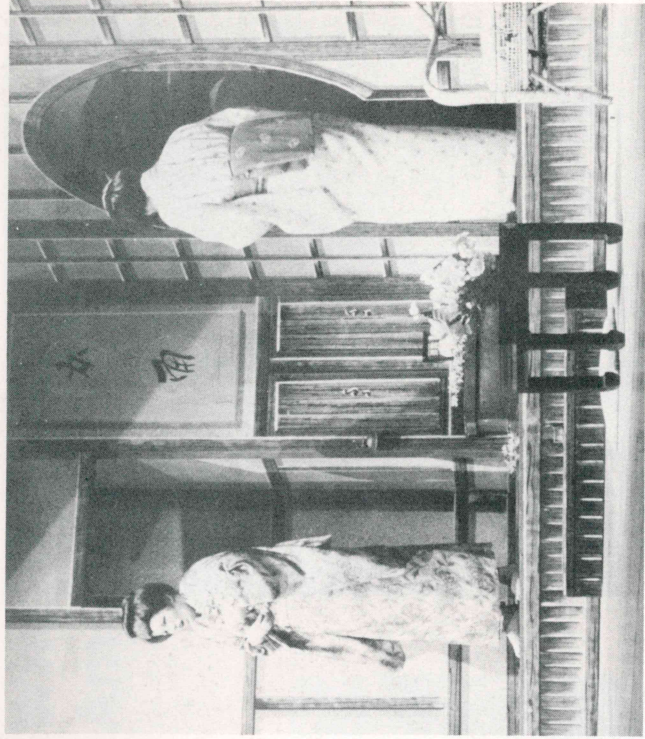


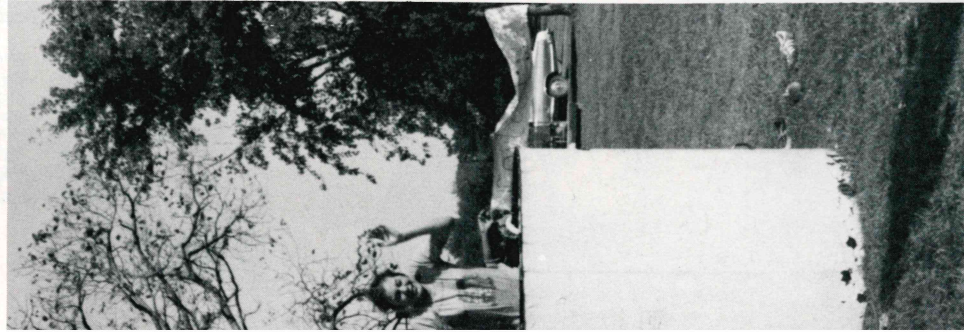
MADAME BUTTERFLY is one of the most beloved operas ever written. The story of the fragile Japanese maiden, who waits faithfully for her American husband to return, not knowing the Japanese vows they took meant nothing to him, never fails to touch audiences the world over. Sung in English, the presentation is fully costumed, staged and accompanied by piano. The magnificent score, filled with beautiful melodies, is highlighted by the haunting aria, "Un bel di" ("One fine day").

This three act opera by Giacomo Puccini was presented in February in the Fine Arts Building and was sponsored by the National Endowment for the Arts and the Arkansas Art Council.

The cast included soprano Brenda Tucker, singing the title role. Lt. Pinkerton was sung by tenor Ed Hull. Sharpless was sung by James Riley Smith, Suzuki by Debra Griggs, Boro by Micheal Walker, Yamadori by Loui Otley, and Kate Pinkerton by Linda Placek-Tilley. The music director was Wayne Davidson, and the stage director was Raymond Gibbs. The set was designed by Dan Sollors, and costumes by Kris Hanley.

Dr. and Mrs. Eugene McKay's son, Shaun, age 5, portrayed Trouble, Madame Butterfly's son.





Autumn Frolics '78

This tradition began as the crowning of a Halloween Queen in the early 1950's. Since 1965 this event has been known as Autumn Frolics. The only thing that has changed is the name.

Both students and faculty look forward to Autumn Frolics. It's a day of fun and competition and a night of disco dancing. The traditional mud hole was not dug this year, but an invention called a "dunking booth" was introduced. Among other events included a "Mr. Hairy Legs" contest, an egg toss, and a mile relay.

The campus is deserted for a few hours as students prepare for the evening event, which includes the Autumn Frolics Royalty. Candidates for queen are chosen, one by each organization, and voting takes place during that week. Names are read and the queen is crowned on this special night. The dance continues as the tradition grows another year older.



A u t u m n F r o i i c s

1st Runner Up
Marvie Teague
Terry Treece

2nd Runner Up
Kim Chodommelka
Jeff Meyer

Queen Karen Roy
Doug De St. Felix

Alida Holt
Jim Metz

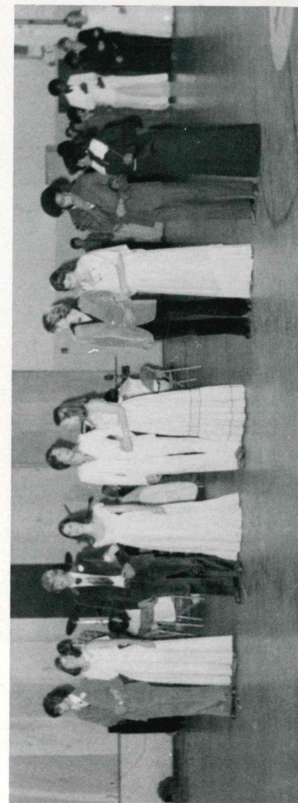
**Debra Johnson
Anthony Hood**



**Tiny Fraley
Bob Lashlee, Jr.**



ididates who did not have their pictures retaken for the yearbook were Martha
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R o y a l t y

**Ann Reid
Dwain Griffin**



**Pat Dorrough
Randy Dorrough**

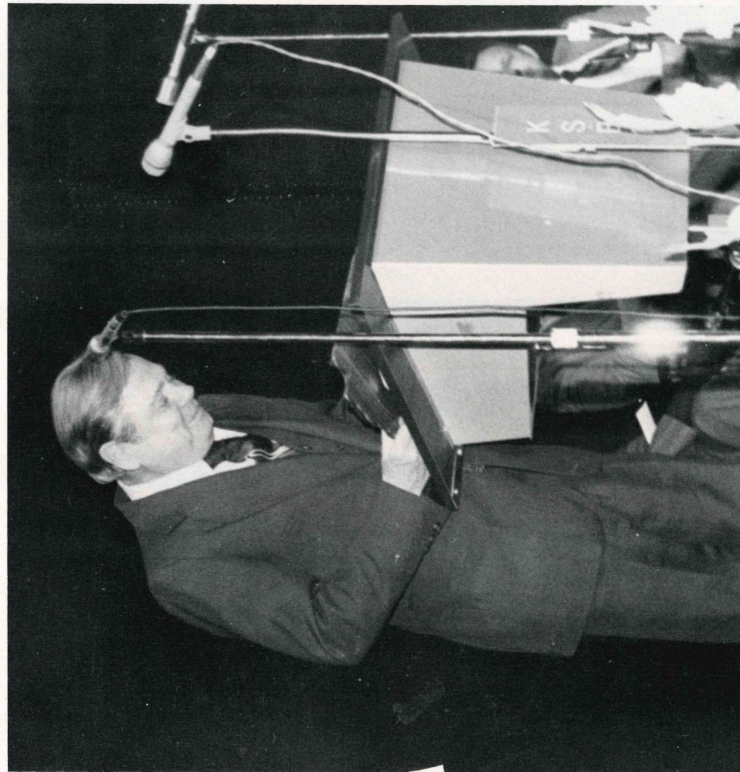
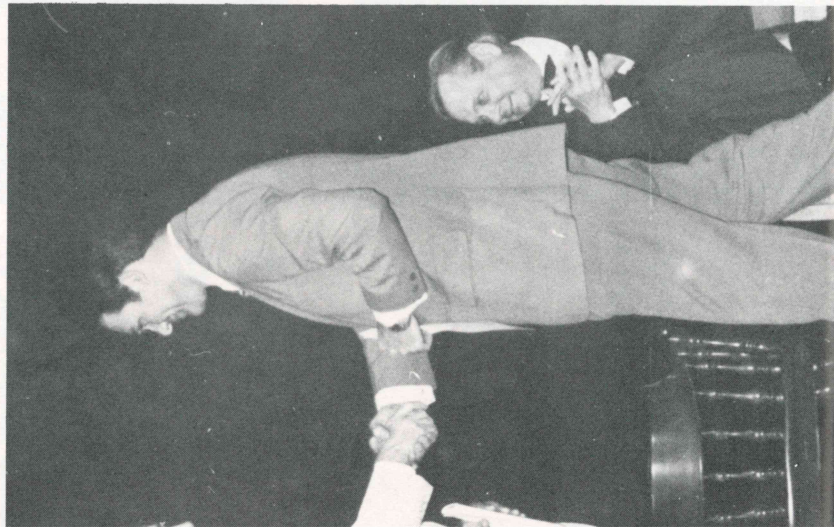


HONORS CONVOCATION

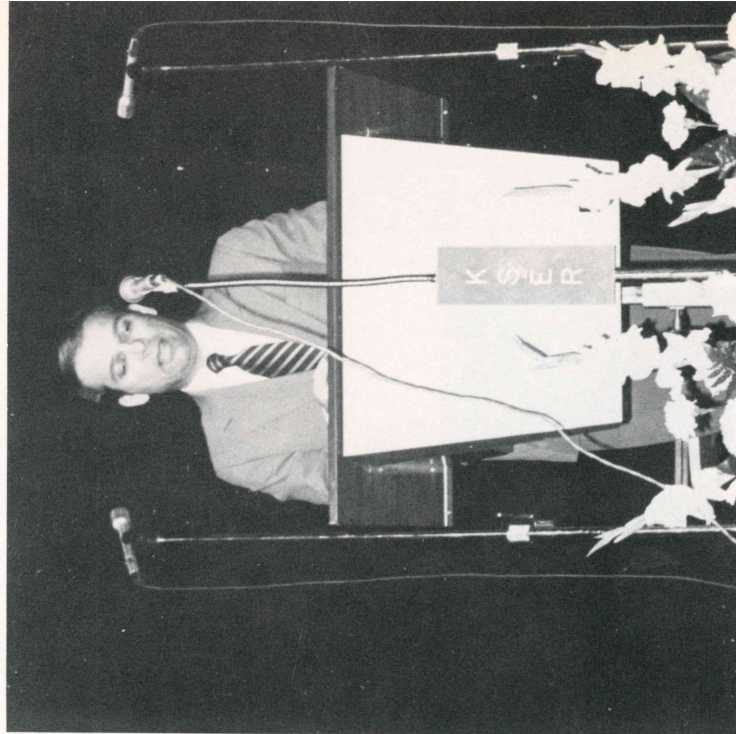


(stage, left to right) Chancellor H. William Echols, Chairman Board of Trustees Richard P. Herget, Jr., chief editorial cartoonist for Arkansas Gazette, George Fisher, Pres. Arkansas State University Carl S. Whillock, Rep. John Paul Capps, Dean of Instruction Charles L. Sandage, Dean of Students W.H. Owens, and Pres. Community Government Ricky McEuen.

Richard P. Herget, Jr. introduces Pres. Carl S. Whillock.



George Fisher, chief editorial cartoonist for the Arkansas Gazette, is honored as a distinguished former student of ASU-Beebe.

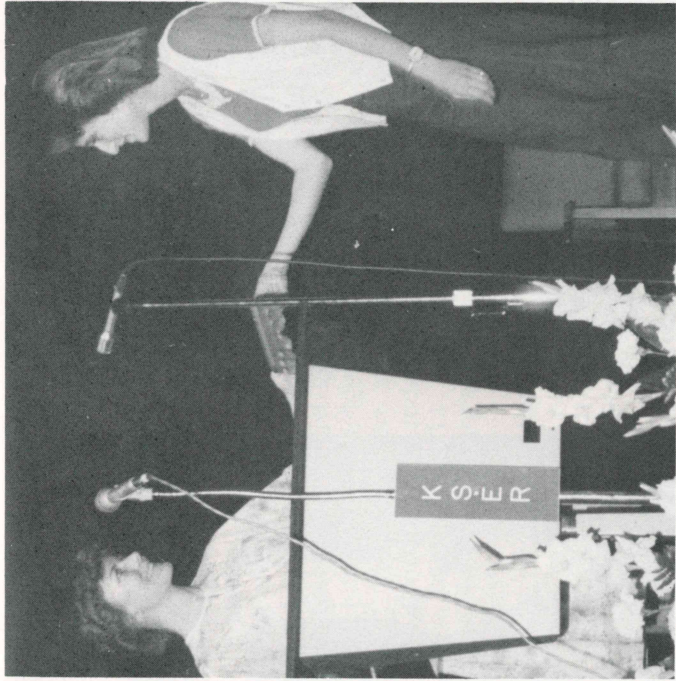


Richard P. Herget, Jr., chairman of the board of trustees, addresses Honors Convocation.

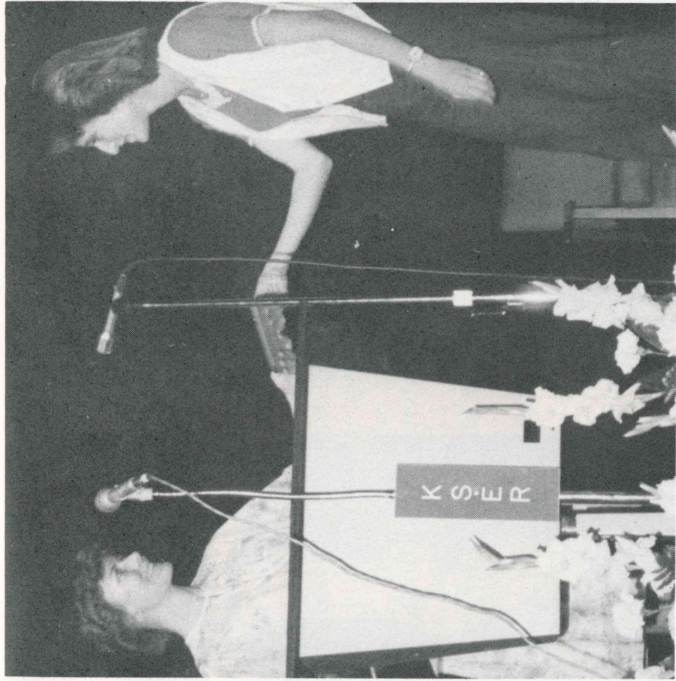


Karen L. Roy receives the Citizenship Award.

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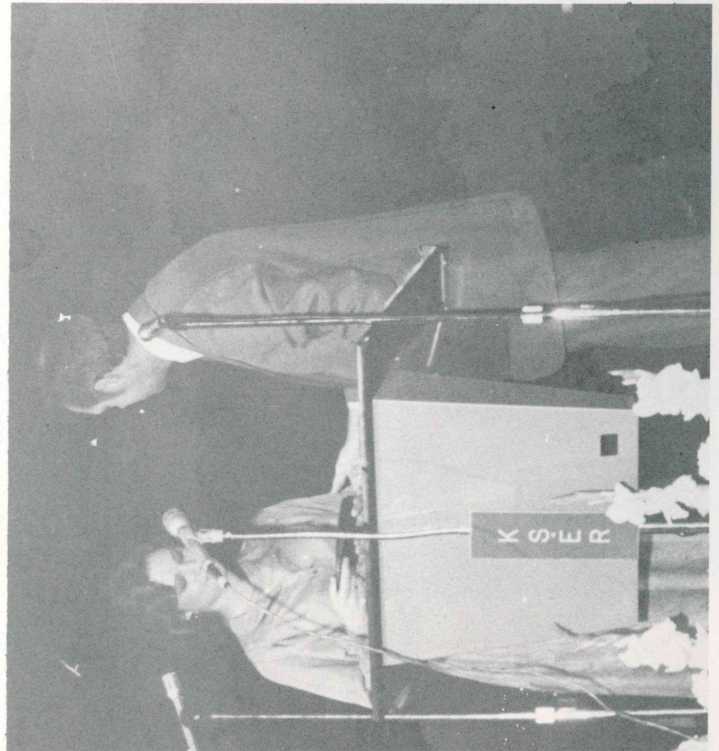
Tammy Showalter receives the Gamma Beta Phi Service Award.



Tammy Showalter receives the Gamma Beta Phi Service Award.



Randy Burrus is named the Gamma Beta Phi Outstanding Freshman Award.



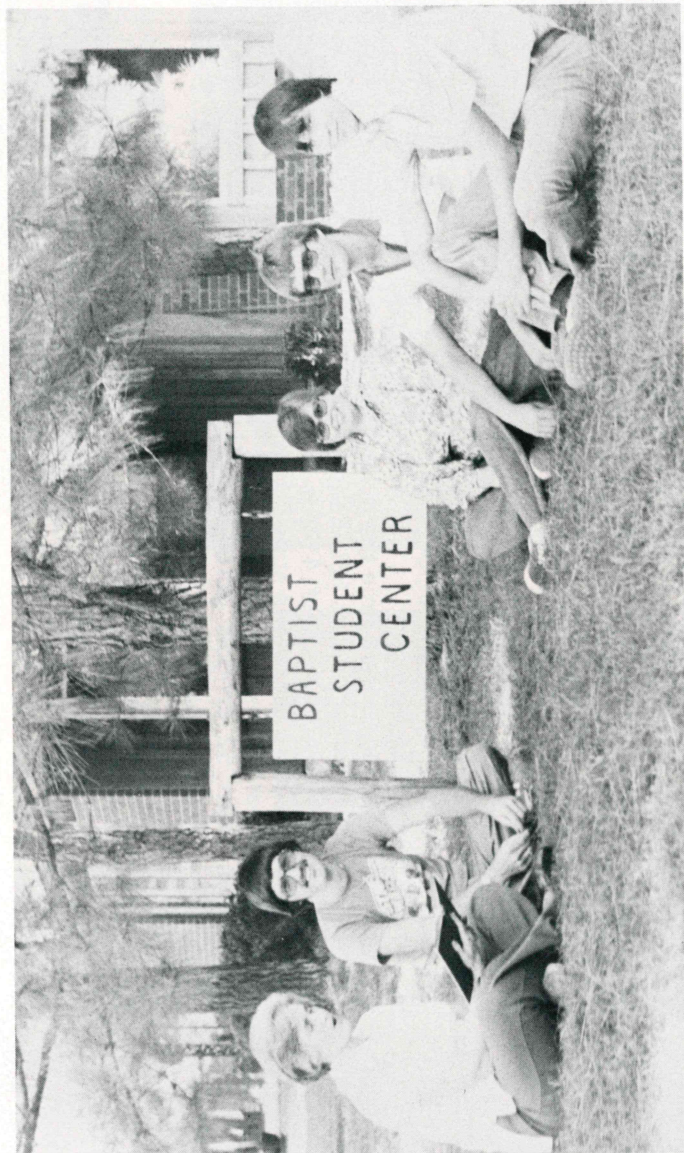
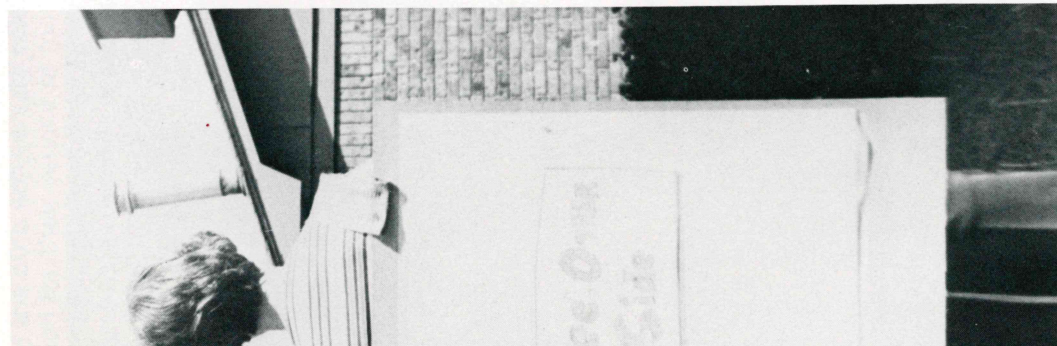
Campus Singers perform for the Honors Convocation.

Baptist

Student



Union



Pat Herrin, advisor; Leon Mulkerin, president; Paula Anderson Mulherin, Donald Ward, social director; Jeff Cockrell, vice-president



The Baptist Student Union is a fellowship of college students seeking to find and implement God's purpose for them and their world.

They have a program that provides opportunity for an inward journey of spiritual growth and an outward journey of service to others.

The center is also open to students for ping-pong, games, singing and just "goofing off".



DR. ANTHONY, above, is a missionary to Israel. He spoke on mission activities in the Holy Land as well as the political repercussions of the war in the Middle East.

left to right: Donald Ward, social director; Jeff Cockrell, vice-president; Leon Mulherin, president



GAMMA BETA PHI SOCIETY



Gamma Beta Phi Society; (left to right, front row) Vaughn Skinner, Donna Shelter, Debbie Castleberry, Tammie Showalter, Alida olt, Marvie Teague, Carl Norris, Bret Foreman, Keith Tomlinson. (left to right, standing) Jackie Epps, Sherry Laymon, Lena ogue, Lissa Riley, Pam Davis, Sarah McEuen, Patricia Graves, Sandy Dunn, Kim Chudomelka, Debbie Nicholas, Robin Spires, vian Thompson, Betty Williams, Fran Collins, and Beverly Reed

The Gamma Beta Phi is an honor and service organization for students in colleges and universities. Members are required to be in the top 20% of their class and must meet the standards of worthy character, good mentality, creditable achievement, and commendable attitude.

Mrs. Eloise Scott, former state president, recently appointed Dr. Ruth Couch as the new chapter advisor. The ASU-Beebe of GBP has established a sub-chapter in the Little Rock Air Base. Among other projects, the society sponsors the annual Talent-Variety Show. This has become a major event looked forward to by the community as well as the university.

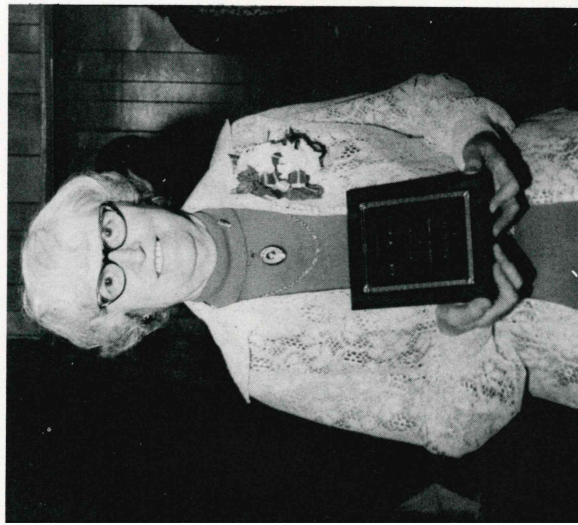


Mrs. Eloise Scott turns the GBP over to Dr. Ruth Couch.





Alida Holt is the President of the ASU-Sebe Chapter. She was chosen as Vice-President at the State Convocation which was held in October at CA.

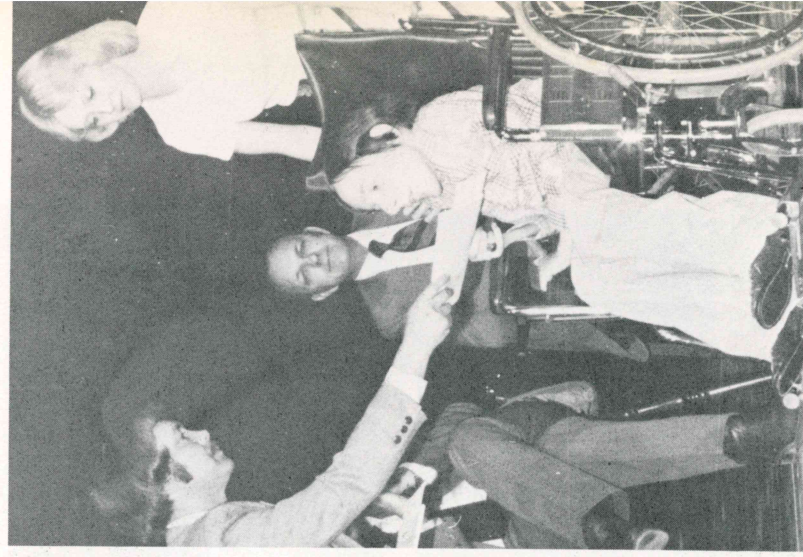


Gamma Beta Phi awarded a plaque of appreciation Mrs. Elouise Scott at the Christmas Induction Banquet. She has served many rewarding years with the 'B.



seated, Donna Shelter, secretary; Alida Holt, president; Marvie Teague, vice-president; Patricia Graves, reporter; Ruth Couch, advisor; standing Douglas de St. Felix, treasurer; and William Nipper, photographer.

Members at state convention.

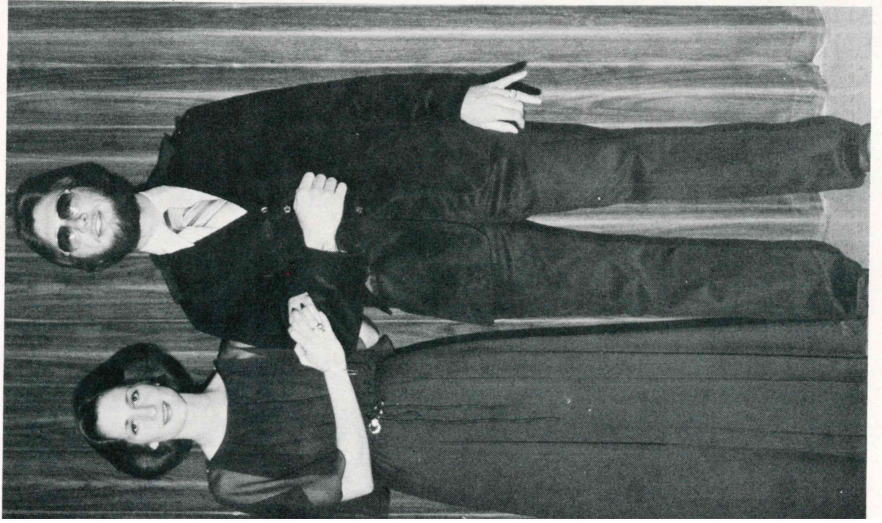


Rhoda Barton, Gamma Beta Phi member, helps Mark Aultman to the stage at the Honors Convocation to receive a creative writing award.

The 1979 Arkansas State University-Beebe Homecoming Queen, Rose Cook, was crowned February 17th at the SU-Beebe vs. Phillips County Community College basketball games.

The tradition of selecting a homecoming queen began in the early 40's. However, there was no basketball game. It presented the coming home of alumni students. A big celebration took place the week of Thanksgiving. Students enjoyed an evening of dancing and on Thanksgiving Day everyone attended the Beebe High School Football game. It was later that Homecoming was connected with college basketball games.

2nd Runner Up
Tammie Showalter
Greg Orliceck



1979 Homecoming Queen

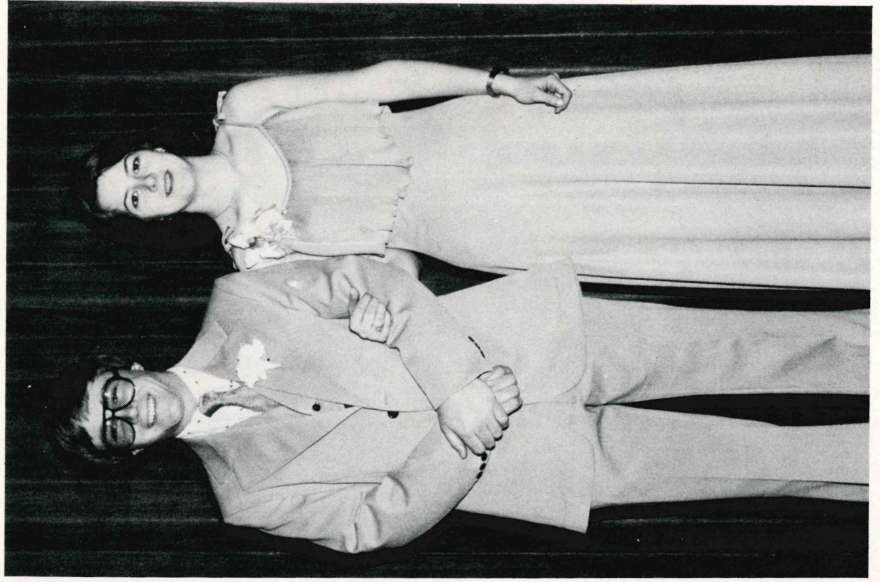
Rose Cook
Jerry Vaughn



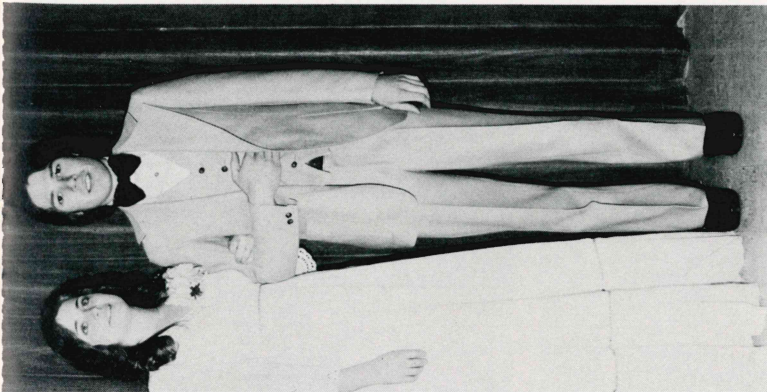
This tradition has also grown very successful. Excitement fills the air as the event approaches. Candidates are nominated, one to represent each organization on campus, and the campaigning and voting takes place during the week. Names are read, and the queen is crowned between the ASU-Beebe Indians' and Maids' basketball games. The evening continues with a dance. The thrills and honors never change, but increase each year as the homecoming tradition of ASU-Beebe grows another year older.

Many candidates have successfully developed in their careers. For example, a former Homecoming Queen, Sarah Beth Fryan Morris, was recently elected as Teacher of the Year. She is the sister-in-law of Dean William Owen.

2nd Runner Up
Debra Wilson
Corky Thomas



1st Runner Up
Dianne Bass
Robert King



Donna Shetler
 Tony Jones



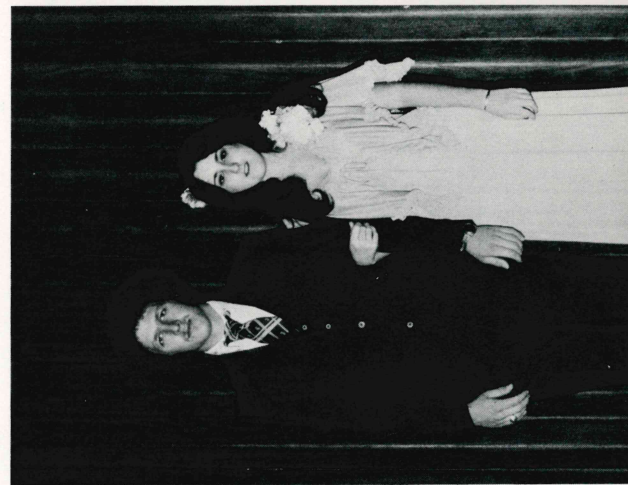
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Martha McGhee
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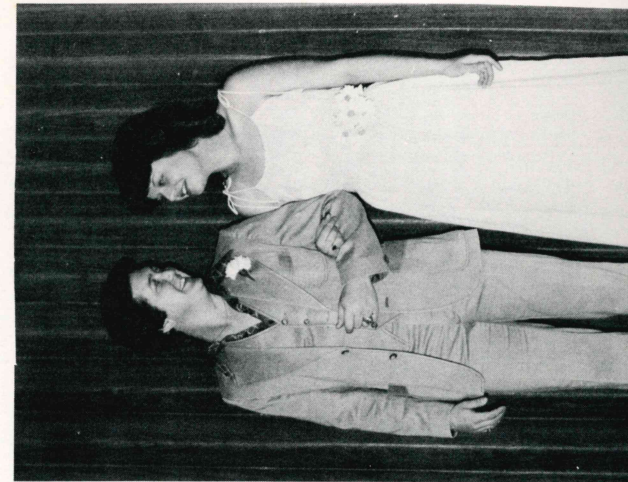
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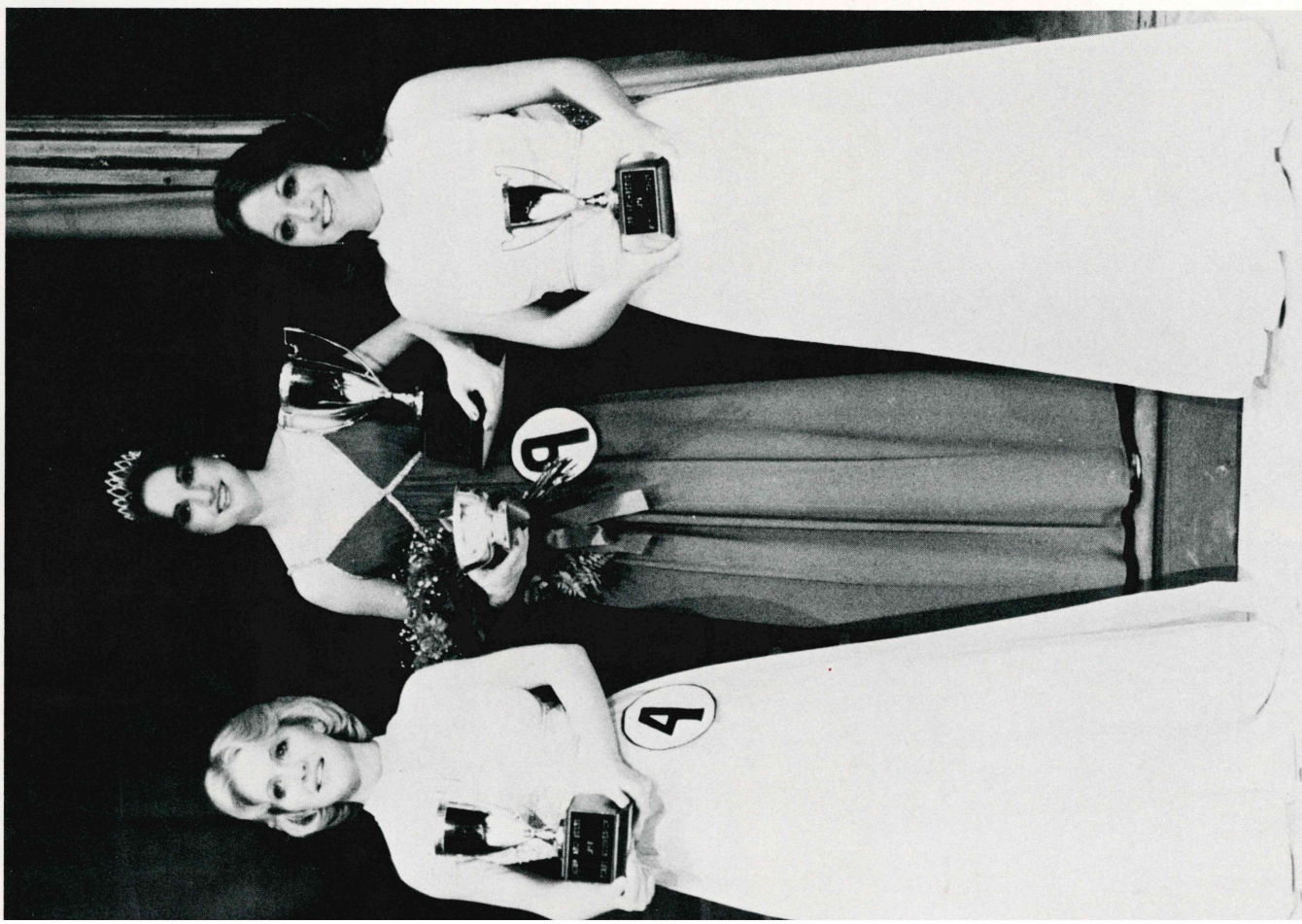
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Miss ASU - Beebe

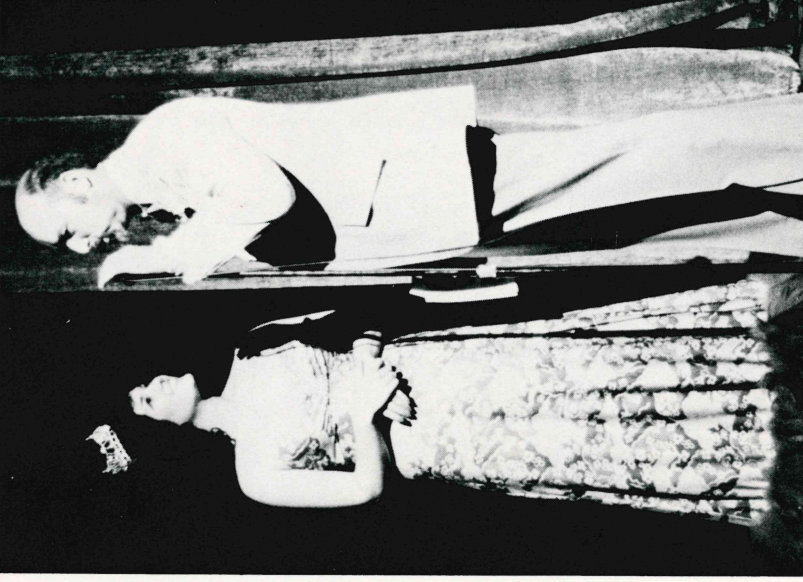
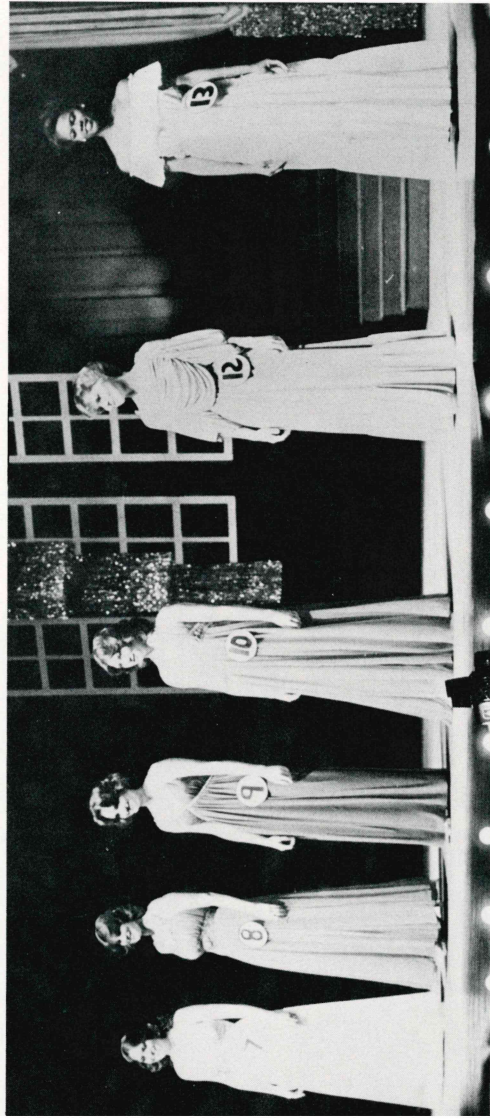


Karen Roy
1st Runner Up-Rhonda Barton
2nd Runner Up-Judy Donnell



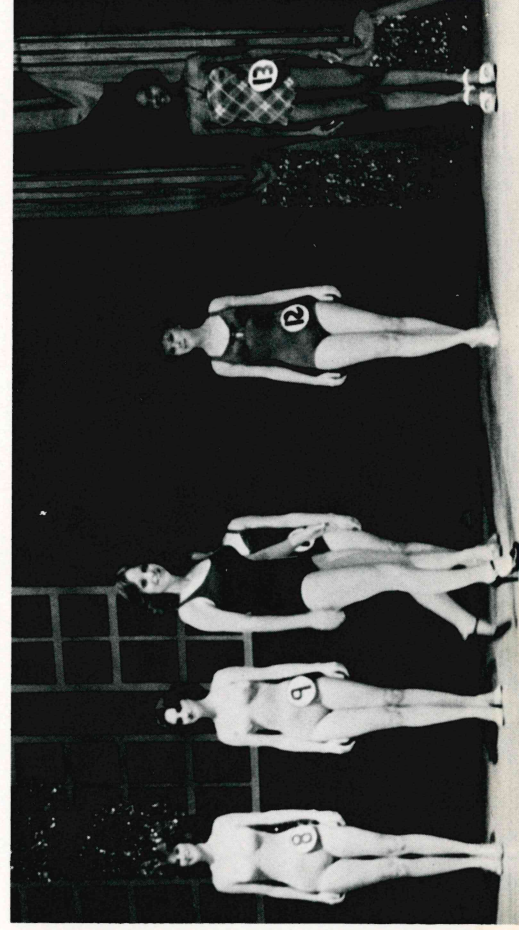
Above: Miss Arkansas Naylene Vuurens
Talent Winners, Below
Lydia Farris



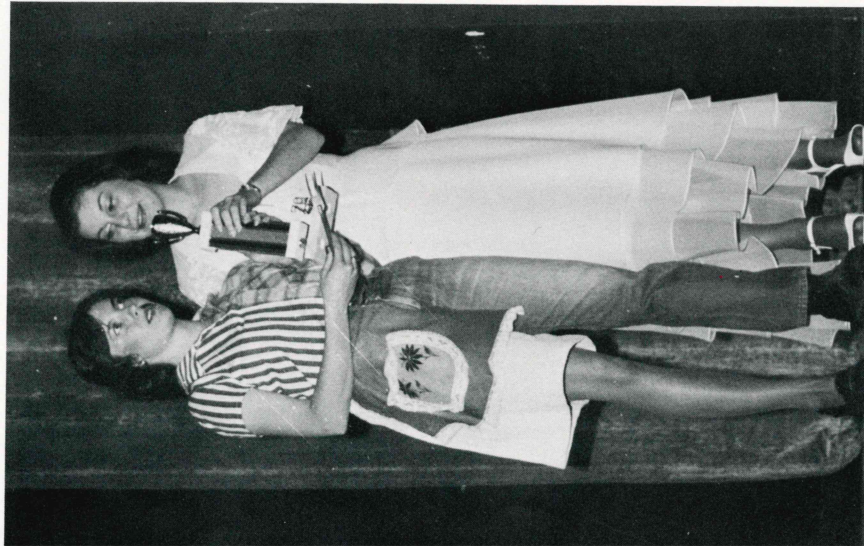


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Naylene Vuurens And
Mr. Chudomelka, Emcee

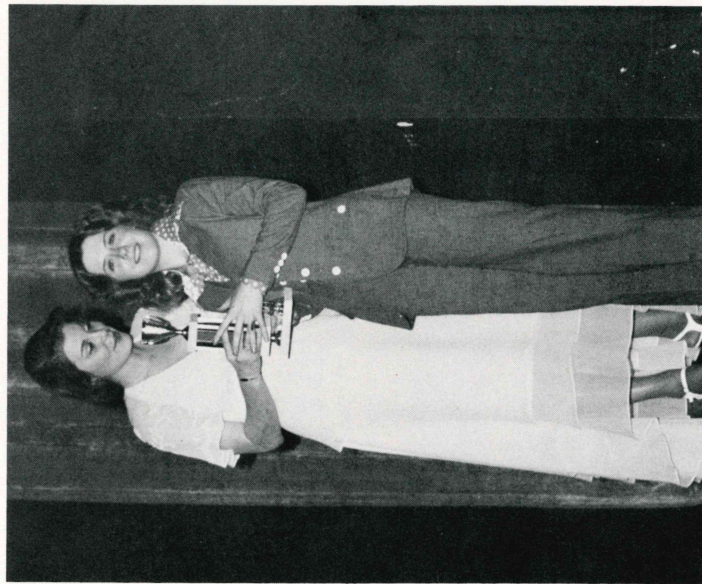
COMPETITION 1979



GBP Sponsors Annual Talent Show



KING TUTT right, Paul Eddings, Freddy Fraser, and Alex Magar provided special entertainment during the talent show.



ward plaques were given to first place winners in each category. Rose Cook received first place in the Senior Division including ages 17 - 19. Sonja Schlesier received the first place award for the Junior Division, 13 - 16 years of age. Winner of the Youth Division, ages 9 - 12, was Stacy Spence. Shawna Downer won first place in the Youth Division including contestants aged 3 - 8.

VIP's Behind The Scenes . . . Classified Employees

Who are the ones standing behind the scenes? Those who have rays been here contributing to the success of each activity - the ssified employees. Now is the time to especially thank you for years unmentioned work.

Ethel Branch
Benny L. Brock
Mae Burns
Bud Carpenter
Merle R. Cunningham
Hancel Dial
Franklin Dickey

Marian Downs
Myrna Duke
Harvey Firth
Marilyn L. Freeman
Royce Harrell
Rosemary Johnson
Floyd Judd

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Wanda Latture
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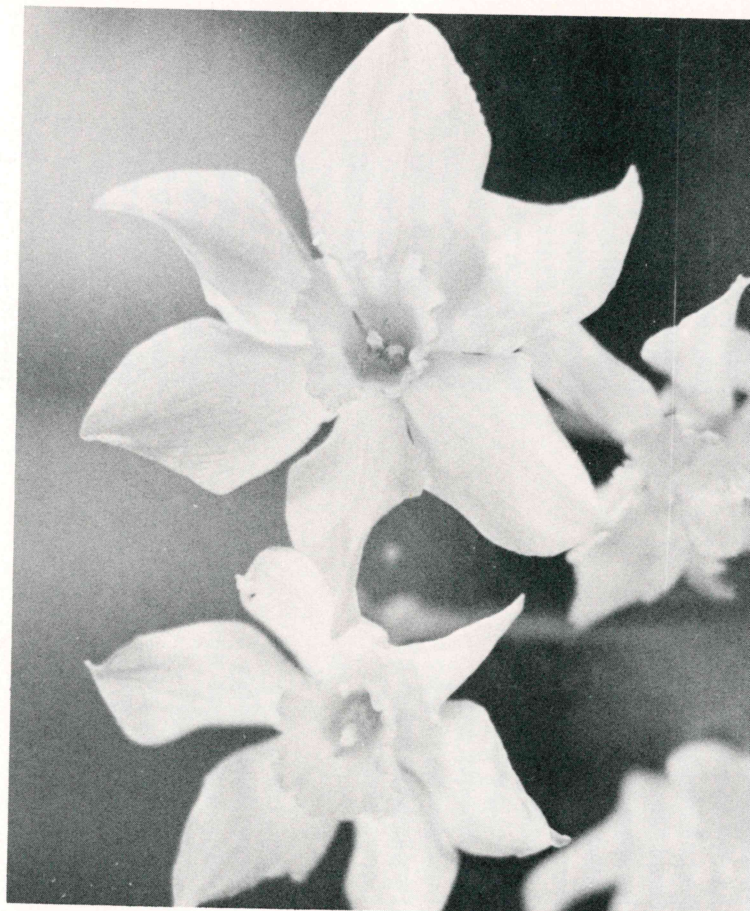
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